PUBLISHED MONTHLY PRICE ANNAS 8.
THE INDIAN RAILWAY
TRAVELLERS' GUIDE.
THE BEST AND MOST COMPLETE GUIDE IN INDIA.
Time and Fare Tables of all Indian Railways Steam Boats, and Daks, Places of Interest—Inland and along the Coast, Postal and Telegraphic Information, &c., &c.
COLOURED MAP OF INDIA.
"Bombay Gazette" Press, Fort, Bombay.

[TEN PAGES]

The Bombay Gazette.

No. 53,701—NEW SERIES. BOMBAY :—THURSDAY, JANUARY 25, 1906. PRICE 4 ANNAS.

LIBRARY OF THE BOMBAY BRANCH OF THE R. A. SOCIETY

Milkmaid LARGEST SALE IN THE WORLD. BRAND Milk

SHIPPING.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

LIST OF DEPARTURES FROM BOMBAY FOR MARSEILLES AND LONDON.

WITH LIBERTY TO CALL AT BRINDISI AND MALTA.

Date of Sailing.	Steamer.	Tons.	Connecting at Aden with.	Tons.
Saturday, 3 P.M.				
1906				
27th Jan.	PENINSULAR..	5294	HIMALAYA ..	6898
3rd Feb.	EGYPT.....	7912	.....	.....
10th "	ORIENTAL	5294	INDIA.....	7911
17th "	CHINA.....	7912	.....	.....
24th "	PENINSULAR..	5294	BRITANNIA ...	6525
3rd Mar.	ARABIA.....	7903	.....	.....
10th "	ORIENTAL	5294	MOLDAVIA	10000
17th "	MACEDONIA...	10512	.....	.....
24th "	PENINSULAR..	5294	MONGOLIA.....	10000
31st "	PERSIA.....	7931	.....	.....
7th Apl.	ORIENTAL	5294	MOOLTAN.....	10000
14th "	EGYPT.....	7912	.....	.....
21st "	PENINSULAR...	5294	MARMORA ...	10509
28th "	CALEDONIA ..	7538	.....	.....
5th May	ORIENTAL	5294	VICTORIA	6522
12th "	ARABIA.....	7903	.....	.....
19th "	PENINSULAR.	5294	HIMALAYA ...	6898
26th "	MACEDONIA ...	10512	—	—

The above Steamers convey Passengers to Marseilles, Plymouth and London.
Passengers for Brindisi tranship to a connecting steamer at Port Said.

HEAVY BAGGAGE must be sent to the BALLARD PIER on FRIDAY AFTERNOON the day previous to sailing, and CABIN BAGGAGE before 9 A.M. on SATURDAY. The attention of Passengers is called to the importance of having their Baggage labelled with Port of Destination.
Tenders leave the Ballard Pier on day of sailing.
All Passengers must attend at that place between 11 and 12-30 o'clock P.M. for Medical Inspection by the Health Officer of the Port, and no one will be allowed on Board the Mail Steamer unless so examined, and conveyed thence in the Company's Steam Barges. Special attention is directed to these regulations, which are imperative under the Venice Convention.
Friends of passengers cannot go on Board the Mail Steamer.

TO COLOMBO, STRAITS, CHINA, AND AUSTRALIA.

The Company's Steamers leave Bombay fortnightly usually on TUESDAYS, taking Passengers for the Straits, China, and Japan, and Return Tickets are issued on favourable terms.
Cargo Steamers are despatched to China at frequent intervals calling at ports en route.

FRANK RITCHIE,
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.
Bombay, 30th October, 1905.

HOMEWARD PASSAGES.

GRINDLAY GROOM & CO.,
BOMBAY.

PASSENGERS booked without charge, and on Favourable Terms, Berths carefully selected.
SLEEPING CAR and CONTINENTAL RAILWAY TICKETS procured.
RAILWAY OFFICIALS and MISSIONARIES booked at Reduced Rates.
PASSAGES booked to ENGLAND via JAPAN and AMERICA by the Canadian Pacific, Occidental and Oriental and Pacific Mail Routes.
HANDBOOK giving Details of Fares, &c., sent free or Lists of Sailings by all Lines sent free on application.
PASSENGERS met on arrival.
BAGGAGE shipped and cleared and Insurance effected covering all risks.
PACKAGES cleared or shipped.
CIRCULAR NOTES, BANK NOTES, DRAFTS and SOVEREIGNS at current rates.

Calcutta Agents.—GRINDLAY & Co.
LONDON AGENTS.—GRINDLAY & Co.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES

FRENCH MAIL STEAMERS.

TO MARSEILLES.

Vessels.	Tons.	Captains.	To Sail on THURSDAY.
NILE.....	5,376	Schmitz.....25th Jan. 1906	
SYDNEY.....	4,255	Combe .....22nd Feb	"
AUSTRALIEN.....	6,685	Verren.....22nd Mar	"
VILLE de la CIOTAT ..6,630		Etienne.....19th Apr.	"
YARRA.....	4,255	Sollier.....17th May	"

INTERCHANGEABLE TICKETS

RETURN TICKETS can be made available for one way by the Messageries Maritimes, and the return voyage by the Austrian Lloyd's at Reduced Fares.

TO AUSTRALIA DIRECT,
AND THE FAR EAST, TRANSHIPPING AT COLOMBO.

Vessel.	Tons.	Captain.	To Sail on or about
VILLE de la CIOTAT...6,630		Etienne ....3rd Feb. 1906.	
YARRA.....	4,218	Sollier .....3rd March 1906.	

RETURN FARES TO AUSTRALIA.

Available for 24 months.
1st Class Rs. 750, 2nd class Rs. 535, 3rd class Rs. 295.
For further Particulars apply to

P. de BURE, Agent.
63, Esplanade Road, Bombay.

ANCHOR LINE.

REGULAR SAILINGS from BOMBAY to MARSEILLES & LIVERPOOL,

The following sailings have been arranged :—

Steamers.	Captain.	Tonnage.	Date.
BRITANNIA	G. R. Garrick	3069	31st Jan. 1906.
CALEDONIA	Alex. Hedderwick	6716	8th Feb.
GLYCERIA	C. F. Osborne R.N.R.	3274	27th "
OLYMPIA	Shafto Abrey.....	6106	13th March
SOMNIA	.....	5091	24th "
MARSEILLIA	J. Thomson.....	3221	11th April
TORILA	Ry. Tait	3221	24th "
CILICIA	Alex. Hedderwick	6716	8th May
BRITANNIA	R. J. Garrick	3,69	23rd "
OLYMPIA	C. F. Osborne R.N.R.	3274	5th June

Bombay to Suez ..... Rs. 350
Bombay to Port Said ..... Rs. 350
Bombay to Marseilles ..... Rs. 425
Bombay to Liverpool (all the way by sea) ..... Rs. 560
Bombay to London overland from Marseilles including 1st class rail ticket across the Continent ..... Rs. 600
Bombay to New York ..... Rs. 720
Bombay ticket to Liverpool (all the way by sea) ..... Rs. 900
Bombay ticket to London overland from Marseilles and back from Liverpool ..... Rs. 950

Note.—Return tickets by Steamers marked * are Rs. 50 less than the above say Rs. 350 and Rs. 500 respectively.
All Return Tickets are available for 2 years.
Concession granted to Families, Railway employees, Clergymen, Missionaries, Tea Planters, etc.
Hospital Nurses, Missionaries, Tea Planters, etc.
Each Steamer carries a duly qualified Surgeon and experienced Stewardess, and is fitted with every comfort.
The Advertised Rates to Europe include a passage by B. I. S. N. Co's. Steamer between Karachi and Bombay.
Officers of the Army are exempted from the penalty attaching to over stain their leave by reason of delay in arrival of Steamer, provided it is timed to arrive within the period of their leave. For rates for steamers not carrying Surgeon and Stewardess or for any other information regarding passage etc., apply to the undersigned.

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co.,
Agents, Bombay.

BOMBAY GAZETTE BI-WEEKLY edition.—Issued on Wednesday and Saturday, giving all the News and Telegrams up to date. Subscription per annum, Rs. 5; Half-yearly Rs. 3, to addresses in Bombay ... Quarterly Rs. 2, to addresses in Bombay.

SHIPPING.

BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LD.

INTEND TO DESPATCH STEAMERS AS FOLLOWS :—

FOR KARACHI.

Weekly, from Victoria Dock Wall No. 14 Shed.

Steamer	Tons	Sailing Date	Time.	Route,—via.
LINGA	2170	Mon.	29 Jan.	11 a.m. P'Bunder & Cutch
LAMA	1700	Tues.	30 Jan.	4 p.m. Kathiawar Ports
DUMRA....	1700	Thur.	1st Feb.	10 a.m. Cutch Mandvie
LHASA.....	2170	Frid.	26 Jan.	8 a.m. (direct.)

FOR KARACHI AND PERSIAN GULF.

S. S. "GOALPARA," 2,147 tons, on MONDAY, 22nd Jan. calling at Karachi, Pasni, Muscat, Bunder Abbas, Linga, Bahrein, Bushire and Busreh.

FOR KARACHI AND BUSREH.

S. S. "DUMRA," 1,700 tons, on THURSDAY, 1st Feb. calling (for Mails and Passengers) at Muscat, Bushire and Mahomera also taking Passengers and cargo on through bookings to Ahwaz and Baghdad.

FOR EAST AFRICA AND ADEN.

S. S. "NERBUDDA," 3,015 tons, on or about 27th Jan. calling at Berbera, Zanzibar, Mombasa, Lamu and Aden.

FOR COAST PORTS AND CALCUTTA.

S. S. "BANCOORA," 2,917 tons, on or about 2nd Feb.

FOR RANGOON OR CALCUTTA (direct).

Frequent sailings, for particulars of which, also as to onward connections to ports in Arracan, Burma, Straits Settlements Mauritius, Australia and New Zealand, apply to :—

MACKINNON MACKENZIE & CO.,
Agents,—Bombay.

24th January, 1906.

KING, KING & CO.,

BANKERS and EAST INDIA AGENTS,
BOMBAY.

PASSAGES ENGAGED and best available berths secured at lowest rates obtainable by P. and O. and all other Steamers free of charge of Commission.
Latest List of Sailings, Fares and Handbook of information furnished by return of post on application.
SPECIAL REDUCED FARES for Railway Officials, Missionaries and Family Parties obtained.
Special attention paid to the grouping of Passengers travelling 2nd Class by P. and O.
Every assistance rendered to Passengers on arrival in Bombay. Baggage taken over at the Railway Stations and Shipped.
Special Agents of the Firm meet all Steamers at Brindisi and Marseilles.
Packages of every description received for Despatch as Cargo to Messrs. HENRY S KING & Co., London, or Messrs. KING BAILLIE and Co., Liverpool.
Freight and Marine Insurance at the Lowest Rates. Quotations furnished on application

KING HAMILTON & Co.,
CALCUTTA.

HENRY S. KING & Co., LONDON.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S S. N. Co

UNDER MAIL CONTRACT WITH THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT.

BOMBAY TO TRIESTE VIA ADEN, SUEZ AND PORTSAID.

DIRECT LINE.

Steamer.	Captain.	Tons	To sail on
IMPERATOR...	F. Mosca.....	4,119	1st Feb. 1906.
IMPERATRIX.	G. Ghezzo	4,194	1st Mar. "
IMPERATOR ...	F. Mosca.....	4,119	1st Apr. "
IMPERATRIX.	G. Ghezzo	4,194	1st May, "

PASSAGE MONEY.

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	Deck.
TRIESTE OR VENICE ...	Rs. 600	Rs. 325	Rs. 15

Taxes Passengers to East African ports with transhipment at Aden.

ORDINARY LINE.

Steamer.	Captain.	Tons.	To sail on or about.
*† NIPPON.....	L. Solch.....	6,316	30th Jan. 1906.
*† CHINA.....	A. Leva.....	6,000	1st March "
FRANZ FERDINAND.	G. Matcovich.....	8016	20th March "
*† AUSTRIA	R. Colledani	7600	9th April "
MARCO AQUEMEM...	A. Biasiz	4766	20th " "

* Will call at Karachi. † Will call at Fiume

PASSAGE MONEY BY THIS STEAMER.

	Saloon.	Deck.
TRIESTE OR VENICE	Rs. 400	Rs. 150

RETURN TICKETS TO TRIESTE AND VENICE AVAILABLE FOR ANY PERIOD WITHIN TWO YEARS.

1st Class, Rs. 800, 2nd Class Rs. 488, Saloon Rs. 300.

THROUGH TICKETS TO LONDON

1st and 2nd Class Single and Return Tickets are issued via Trieste, Ems St. Gothards and other Routes.

INTERCHANGEABLE TICKETS WITH THE MESSAGERIES MARITIMES CO.

RETURN TICKETS available for one way by the Austrian Lloyds and the return voyage by the Messageries Maritimes Co. are issued at reduced fares.

Passengers to VENICE transhipp at TRIESTE to another Steamer of the Company which takes about 6 hours to cross the Gulf.

STEAM TO JAPAN VIA COLOMBO, PENANG, SINGAPORE, HONGKONG, SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.

Steamer.	Captain.	Tons.	To sail on or about
PERSIA	F. Cragiletto ...	6,594	27th Jan. 1906

For further particulars regarding Passages, Apply to

E. SCARPA, Agent General.
Sassoon House, 64, Church Gate Street, Fort, Bombay

TO SMOKERS.

SOMETHING NEW
ARDATH TOBACCO'S CO.'S
Astorias, State Express in every kind and Number,
CRAVEN MIXTURE
AND
Various kinds of
EGYPTIAN AND VIRGINIA CIGARETTES
ALSO
Mild Indian and German HAVANA CIGARS
ALWAYS IN STOCK
We allow large Discount to Messes, Clubs, Hotels, &c.
Upcountry Orders by V. P. P.
PRICE LIST on APPLICATION.
Please register your order soon
AT
E. E. GOREY & CO.
NAVAL TAILORS AND CIGAR MERCHANTS,
OPPOSITE Messrs. SOUNDY & Co,
21, HUMMUM STREET,
FORT, BOMBAY

LATEST NECKWEAR.

CHIC STYLES, SPECIALLY SELECTED.

	Rs. a.		Rs. a.
Crêpe de Chine Ties	... from 1 12	Washing Tubular Ties	... from 0 8
Knitted Silk Knot Ties	... " 2 8	Riding Scarves with Stiffeners..	" 1 12
Matt Silk Ties ...	... " 2 12	Soft Collars	... Doz. 7 8
Rich Silk Scarves—Latest	... " 3 0	Best Linen Collars, 4-fold	... " 7 4

INSPECTION INVITED.

HOAR & CO., {THE HOUSE for NECKWEAR,} BOMBAY.

ASIATIC PETROLEUM CO., LTD

SHELL MOTOR SPIRIT

Has been proved to be superior to any other Spirit on the English Market.

ON THE SEA.

"Napier Major"—The longest motor-boat run—used SHELL.

SCOTTISH RELIABILITY TRIALS. 595 miles.

The most severe road Test known : lowest Petrol consumption per ton mile over whole course. Won by Arrol Johnstone 12 H. P. Car, 43·8 miles per gallon, used "Shell." I. S. Napier Esq. Driver.

FOR SPEED AND RELIABILITY.

Gordon-Bennett Eliminating Trials, Isle of Man. The Fastest car, "The Napier," used "Shell". W. Clifford Earp, Esq., Driver.
Bicycle Eliminating Trials, Isle of Man. The winner "Arial" Motor Bicycle used "Shell" I. Campbell, Esq., Driver.

According to the comparison of the various Spirits conducted by the Editor of the 'Motor' and reported in "The Motor" of May 23rd, 1905, the consumption of Petrol per Brake Horse Power per hour according to the average of four trials of each was shown as follows :—

Shell	Carburine	Whitaker's	Pratts	Bowleys	Carless	Motol
·089 Galls.	·094	·099	·103	·104	·106	·107

The Motor Spirit now being imported into India by the Asiatic Petroleum Co. is the IDENTICAL spirit now being sold in England as

SHELL MOTOR SPIRIT.

SHELL spirit is now so universally demanded that it is important all dealers should know when offering the Asiatic Petroleum Company's Spirit that they are not selling a new and unknown Petrol but the identical spirit which has won such a prominent position in England under the name of

SHELL MOTOR SPIRIT;

AS ALL DEALERS DO NOT STOCK THIS SPIRIT consumers when buying should enquire what spirit is being offered them.

LOCAL AGENTS,
FAZULBHOY M. CHINOY & CO.,
DALAL LANE, FORT OR ISMAIL HABIB, BANDER, SEWREE.

To be had also from
THE LEADING DEALERS.

MONGINI BROTHERS

RESTAURANT
AND
CONFECTIONERY.
25-27-29, CHURCH GATE STREET,
BOMBAY.

LUNCHEONS.....from Re. 1
DINNERS.....from Rs. 2

SERVICE A LA CARTE

LADIES & GENTLEMEN'S CLOAK ROOMS
TELEPHONE NO. 325.
Telegrams "IMOGEN" Bombay.

THE ITALIAN STORES.

C. COLONNELLO, SON & CO.

WINES, GENERAL MERCHANTS, AND CONTRACTORS,
105, MEDOWS STREET, FORT, BOMBAY.

GRUYERE, PARMESAN, GORGONZOLA, AND CHEDDAR CHEESE.

MACCARONI VERMICELLI AND SOUP PASTES.

PURE WINE VINEGAR AND PURE OLIVE OIL.

ALL KINDS of FRENCH, ITALIAN AND GERMAN STORES.

MARSALA ITALIA (SHERRY) highest awards wherever exhibited.

ELISIR CHINA (Calisaia Liqueur), A tonic restorative for general debility.

WALNUTS ALMONDS AND HAZELNUTS,

GRIGNOLINO CLARET (WINE) a thoroughly genuine article. Only Rs. 10 per doz. Bottles.

EXPORT TO GERMANY.

A HAMBURG AGENCY FIRM, established since 10 years and thoroughly conversant with Indian Produce, desires to meet with Exporters to act as their Agent in Germany. The principal, who is in close touch with Manufacturers and Consumers, is now in Bombay and requests shippers to send their address to Box No. 884 J., Advt., Dept., "Bombay Gazette."

Beauty.

Rallimo's Flour Creams prevents the skin from chapping when warm, and checks the growth of superfluous hair. No woman can hope to keep the darkest shade of a tropic parasol rose-white complexion in a hot climate unless she uses regularly Rallimo's superfluous skin tonic. Refrigerant as used in ARMY and NAVY HOSPITALS, and all good Chemists.

OFFALL GOOD CHEMISTS and STORES.
Rallimo Co., Ltd.,
Hills, Gray's Inn Road, London, England.

The "Times of India" in its report of the GREAT FIRE AT LAHORE, says :—"The fire was found by a moderate breeze and was unchecked for many minutes by any sort of extinguishing appliance."

"MINIMAX"
HAND
FIRE-EXTINGUISHER.

THE FIRE ENGINE OF THE FUTURE AND EVER-READY

MEANS OF PROTECTING LIFE AND PROPERTY.

372 ACTUAL FIRES

Have been extinguished during the last six months with the "MINIMAX" hand extinguisher. This fact has more weight than pages of printed matter.

372 ACTUAL FIRES

THINK THIS OVER SERIOUSLY.

No business house can really afford to be without the protection which the "Minimax" affords, being a ready and easily controlled means of effectually extinguishing an outbreak of fire which might, without its aid, prove a serious conflagration.

NOTE.—We will have much pleasure in answering any enquiry by return of post, or if resident, in or near Bombay, our "MINIMAX" representative will call on you.

SOLE AGENTS IN BOMBAY,
MARCKS AND CO., LTD.,
BOMBAY AND POONA.

JOHN BEGG'S
ROYAL LOCHNAGAR WHISKIES
IN FOUR WELL-MATURED BLENDS.

BY Royal Warrant to H. M. KING EDWARD VII, 1901.
" " Her Late Majesty QUEEN VICTORIA, 1819-1900.
" " H. R. H. THE PRINCE of WALES, 1903.

CAN BE HAD FROM THE
CATERERS, ENGLISH AND PRINCE OF WALES HOTELS
AT THE HARMSTON'S CIRCUS BAR.

SOLE AGENTS :
BOMBAY WINE AGENCY,
147, GIRGAUM ROAD.

PLEASE NOTE THAT
DR. H. L. BATLIWALLA
IS THE ONLY ONE
In the whole of India who has received
TWO MEDALS from the INDUSTRIAL INDIAN EXHIBITIONS FOR FEVER REMEDIES.

MALARIA! CHALLENGE OF Rs. 5,000.

BATLIWALLA'S AGUE PILLS OR MIXTURE.

GUARANTEED TO CURE OR MONEY BACK.

BATLIWALLA'S AGUE PILLS or MIXTURE drives all the poisonous Malarial germs out of the body. It is truly wonderful that this dread disease can be cured so readily, but it can and that is all you need to think about. If you buy a bottle of BATLIWALLA'S AGUE PILLS or MIXTURE and if it does not cure your Influenza Malarious, intermittent and Bilious Fevers and mild form of Plague, let me know at once and I will refund your money. I want no man's money unless I am satisfied that Batliwalla's remedies has given him more than his money's worth. Can you blame me for being enthusiastic about the efficacy of Batliwalla's Remedies? I have been selling them for years all over this country and in other countries. Batliwalla's Ague Mixture has attained such a high reputation in the Bombay Druggist's market that if I agree to take only one Rupee per dozen more than the market rate, I can sell one thousand dozens of it in one day only. I [redacted] a challenge of Rs. 5,000 to any one who can disprove this statement.

BATLIWALLA'S EMBIRIL TONIC PILLS FOR PALE PEOPLE.

GUARANTEED TO CURE OR MONEY BACK.

A valuable remedy in all cases of Nervous exhaustion, Melancholia, Pale Shallow complexion, Overwrought brain-work, Impotency, Constitutional weakness, Seminal emission in sleep, Early stage of Consumption, Indigestion, Impairment of understanding due to excessive indulgence and many other ailments to which the human frame is subjected. In cases of prematurely aged persons these Pills are found highly effective. They are highly recommended to all busy workers who earn their living not by muscle, but by their brains, and to students and scholars, growing boys and girls, who in addition to perhaps inheriting a feeble constitution, are educated on the modern system of cram and overwrought brainwork. These Pills have been found to be powerful and rapid restorer of mental and physical vigour. They restore the diminished capacity for intellectual work, the loss of appetite and imperfect digestion.

PRICE Rs. 1-8 PER BOTTLE.

Batliwalla's Ague Pills or Mixture and Batliwalla's Embiril Tonic Pills (for Pale People) may be had from TREACHER and Co., Kemp and Co., PHILLIPS and Co., BEYNON and Co., etc., etc., etc., or from the Sole Manufacturer, Dr H. L. BATLIWALLA, Worli, Dadar, Bombay. Discount to the Trade.

PUBLIC NOTIFICATIONS.

HARMSTON'S GRAND CIRCUS AND ROYAL MENAGERIE OF WILD PERFORMING ANIMALS.

TO-NIGHT! TO-NIGHT!!

AT 9-30 P. M. (Standard Time.)

OUR NEW PROGRAMME.
BY
OUR ALL STAR COMPANY.

DIAVOLO LOOPING THE LOOP ON A BICYCLE.

DO YOU WONDER

That the Tents are crowded? It's because the management presents a performance superior to all others.

"We live to please and pleasing thus we live,"

NO ARTIST TOO GOOD,
NO SALARY TOO HIGH.

The Sequel to a Managerial Combination of BRAINS AND UNTIRING INDUSTRY.

Children Half Price to Matinees only.

PRICES AS USUAL.

Seats may be reserved at the Circus daily for the Boxes and Dress Circle chairs between the hours of 10 A.M. and 2 P.M. and 4 to 6-30 P.M.

MADAME HARMSTON LOVE.....Proprietress
COL. BOB LOVE .....Manager.
R. ALTON.....Agent.

NOTICE OF SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. VASSUDEV JAGANNATHJI, has contracted TO SELL the undermentioned property to our client Mr. GANESH JANARDAN PARADKAR, any person or persons having any claim to the same, by way of inheritance, gift, mortgage, lease, lien or otherwise howsoever, should make the same known in writing to the Undersigned at their Office, at No. 40, Meadows Street, Fort, within 14 days from the date Hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without regard to any such claim and the same will be considered to have been waived,

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

FIRSTLY.—All that piece or parcel of Pension and Tax-land or ground together with the messuage, tenement or dwelling-house standing thereon, situate, lying and being at Bhandarwada Road without the Fort and in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 321. 37 square yards or thereabouts, and registered in the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 186, New No. 3812, Old Survey No. 309, and New Survey No. 1557, and assessed by the Municipality of Bombay under G. Ward No. 4579 and Street No. 938 and bounded as follows:—That is to say on the East by the said Bhandarwada Road, on the West by the property of Ramkrishna, on the North by a private common passage and by pond that by the property hereinafter secondly described and on the South by the property of Messrs. Ganpat Janardan and others.

SECONDLY.—All that piece or parcel of Pension and Tax-land or ground together with the messuage, tenement or dwellinghouse standing thereon, situate, lying and being at Bhandarwada Road, outside the Fort of Bombay, and in the Registration Sub District of Bombay and containing by admeasurement 4731 Square Yards or thereabouts, and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 186, New No. 812, Old Survey No. 309, and New Survey No. 1557, and assessed by the Municipality of Bombay under G. Ward No. 4534 and Street No. 940, and bounded on the East by the said Bhandarwada Road on the West by the property of Ramkrishna, on the North by the property of the said Vendor, Vassudev Jagannathji, and the house of Nana Babul, and on the South by a private common passage and beyond that by the property hereinabove firstly described and which said premises are now in the occupation of the Vendor's tenants.—Dated this 24th day of January, 1906.

CHITNIS & MOTILAL,
Purchaser's Attorneys.

SOUTHERN MAHRATTA RAILWAY.

ACCELERATED MAIL SERVICE VIA POONA
between
BOMBAY AND BANGALORE.

THE BEST ROUTE FOR COMFORTABLE TRAVEL AND PICTURESQUE SCENERY.

THE MAIL TRAINS of this Company consisting of "BOGIE" Vehicles, of an improved description, RUN between POONA and BANGALORE, by the coolest route through the attractive scenery on the Uplands of the Western Ghats, and in Mysore, connecting at Poona with the vestibuled Mail Trains over the G. I. P. Railway, according to the following timings, and at the fares shown below:—

DOWN TRAINS.

			H. M.	
Bombay G. I. P. R.		dep.	15 0	Time.
Poona	S. M. R.	arr.	18 45	H. M.
		dep.	19 35	38 35
Hubli	,,	dep.	14 27	
Bangalore, ,,		arr.	5 35	

UP TRAINS.

Bangalore S. M. R.		dep.	22 30	
Hubli	,,	dep.	12 50	Time.
Poona	G. I. P. R.	arr.	6 2	H. M.
		dep.	7 5	36 20
Bombay	,,	arr.	10 50	

Single journey Through Fares to either direction. First Class between Bombay and Bangalore, Rs. 46-9-0. Second Class between Bombay and Bangalore, Rs. 23-5-0. Third Class between Bombay and Bangalore, Rs. 9-12-9.

2. There is only one change of Carriages, namely at Poona, on the journey between BOMBAY and BANGALORE. FIRST and SECOND CLASS PASSENGERS intending to travel by the Mail Trains over this Railway from Poona or Bangalore can secure accommodation by booking their berths beforehand, if the Station Master at Poona or Bangalore is advised by letter, or telegram, of the class and number of berths required, and the names of intending occupants.

3. RESERVED ACCOMMODATION. Passengers wishing to have a Reserved Compartment in a First, Second or Third class carriage from Poona on the Down journey through to Bangalore, or from Bangalore on the Up journey through to Poona, should apply to the Station Master of the Station from which required.

The charge for reserved accommodation when secured for the whole distance from Poona to Bangalore or "vice versa" will be as follows:—

For a First Class Compartment, 2 1-2 Single journey fares.

For a Second Class Compartment, 3 1-2 Single journey fares.

For a Third Class Compartment, 6 Single journey fares.

If the number of passengers travelling in a compartment is in excess of the number of fares payable to reserve such compartment, the charge will be made for the actual number that travel.

A DINING CAR is run daily on the Mail Trains between Poona and Bangalore in both directions.

W. B. WRIGHT.
Traffic Manager.

Dharwar, 15th January, 1906.

BANK OF BOMBAY

SAVINGS BANK.

THE BANK receives DEPOSITS on the following terms:—

Sums not exceeding Rs. 1,000 in the aggregate may be deposited within any one year from 1st January to 31st December.

Deposits may be made in the names of two or more persons and the balance made payable to one or more of them or to the survivor or survivors.

Interest is allowed at the rate of THREE PER CENT. per annum on the minimum monthly balances not exceeding Rs. 5,000.

Copies of the Rules can be obtained on application at the Bank.

J. BEGBIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

PUBLIC NOTIFICATIONS.

THE CITY OF BOMBAY IMPROVEMENT ACT OF 1898.

NOTIFICATION OF ALTERATION OF A STREET SCHEME (SCHEME IV.)

WHEREAS a Notification of a STREET SCHEME made by the Trustees for the Improvement of the City of Bombay (being Scheme IV.), was duly published under the provisions of the above Act in the "Government Gazettes" of 29th December, 1898, 5th January, 1899, and 12th January 1899.

And whereas thereafter the said Trustees after inserting in the said Scheme such Modifications as they thought fit applied to Government for sanction to the said Scheme, as so modified, such application being accompanied by (inter alia) a statement specifying the land proposed to be acquired therefor, and a schedule showing the rateable value of the same in accordance with the provisions of Sections 23 and 32 of the said Act.

And whereas the sanction of Government to the said Scheme was communicated by Government Resolution (General Department) No. 793 dated 8th February, 1901.

And whereas it appears to the said Trustees that an improvement can be made in divers parts of the said Scheme, and the said Trustees have altered the said Scheme for the purpose of making such improvement.

And whereas the said Scheme as now altered involves the acquisition otherwise than by agreement of certain land, other than that specified in the aforesaid schedule as proposed to be acquired for the purposes of the said Scheme.

Now it is hereby notified pursuant to Sections 27 (1), 29 (2) (c), and 32 of the said Act that the Scheme has been so altered in divers parts and that an altered Scheme has been made by the said Trustees.

The limits of the area comprised in the Scheme so altered are as follows:—

(1). As to the portion of the said area that lies to the West of an area which is comprised in the area of a Street Scheme made by the said Trustees (being Scheme No. 3) as follows:—viz:—

(a). On the North (proceeding from West to East) part of Govalia Tank Road, properties bearing Ward D, Nos. 2918 (3) and 2918 (1A) respectively, part of a passage leading from Govalia Tank Road to Paroo Hill, portions of properties bearing Ward D Nos. 2910, 2915 (1) and 2915 (2) respectively, properties bearing Ward D Nos. 2916, 2911 and 2912 respectively, another part of Govalia Tank Road, properties bearing Ward D Nos. 2880, 2877, 2878, 2879 (1), and 2879 (2) respectively, another part of Govalia Tank Road, portions of properties bearing Ward D Nos. 2873 (1) 2873 (2) 2874, 2875 and 2876 respectively, properties bearing Ward D Nos. 2872 (7) 2873 (6) and 2871 (1), respectively, part of Gamdevi Road, properties bearing Ward D Nos. 2339 (1). 2337, 2338. 2839 and 2704 respectively, another part of Gamdevi Road property bearing Ward No. 2791, another part of Gamdevi Road properties bearing Ward D Nos. 2071, 2072 2373, 2374, 2375, 2713, 2714, 2715 and 2,089 respectively, part of Kabootar Lane properties bearing Ward D Nos. 2339, 2590 and 2591 respectively, part of French Road, property bearing Ward D Nos. 2563 (1), and another part of French Road.

(b). On the East land vested in the said Trustees and adjoining on the North the Western approach to the French Bridge and on the East the B. B. & C. I. Railway (which said land is comprised in the area of Scheme No. 3 made by the said Trustees as aforesaid).

(c) On the South (proceeding from the East to West) proportions of properties bearing Ward D Nos. 2444 2555 (1) and 2559 respectively (which said portions are comprised in the area of the said Scheme No. III, properties bearing Ward D Nos. 2445 (3 and 4) 2445 (5) 2445 (6) 2563 (1 A) 2563 (1-6) 2566 (1-2) 2537, 2563 (2) and 2560 (1-2 and 3) respectively, another part of French Road, properties bearing Ward D Nos. 2303, 2309, 2305, 2307, 2303 (1) 2303 (2, 3 and 4), 2303, 2311, 2320, 2312 2314. 2317-2319 and 2622 respectively, part of Chowpatee Road, properties bearing Ward D Nos. 2719, 2340 (1) 2340 (2 and 3) 2717 and 2721 respectively, another part of Gamdevi Road, another part of Chowpatee Road, properties bearing Ward D Nos, 2347 and 2348 respectively; and another part of Chowpatee Road.

(d). On the West (proceeding from South to North) properties bearing Ward D Nos. 2353, 2352 (1) 2352 (2) 2353 (1-5) 2134 and 2335 (1) respectively, a portion of property bearing Ward D Nos. 2322 and a part of Gibbs Road.

(2). As to the portion of the area comprised in the Scheme, the subject of this Notification so altered that lies to the South-East of the area comprised in the area of Scheme No. 3 made by the said Trustees as aforesaid.

(a). On the North, portions of properties bearing Ward D Nos 2445, 2446, 2549. 2550, 2551 and 2555 (1) respectively (which said portions are comprised in the area of the said Scheme No. III. and land vested in the said Trustees and adjoining on the North the Western approach to the French Bridge and on the East the B. B. and C. I. Railway (which said land is comprised in the area of the said scheme No. III);

(b). On the East, part of the B. B. and C. I. Railway.

(c). On the South and West (proceeding from East to West) part of Queen's Road and properties bearing Ward D. Nos. 2443 (1 B), 2443 (A), 2443 (1), 2443 (2), 2443 (4), 2443 (3), 2550, 2554 and 2553 respectively.

The office of the said Trustees, on Esplanade Road, within the Fort of Bombay is the place where particulars of the said Scheme so altered, a Map of the area comprised therein, (the same being delineated on the said Map and shewn coloured in red lines) and a statement specifying the land proposed to be acquired may be seen at all reasonable hours.

The additional Plots of land now proposed to be acquired are coloured green and hatched red on the said Map and are thereon marked with the letters P. Q. R., S. T. and U. respectively.

G. O. W. DUNN,
Chairman of the Board.

Dated, the 12th day of January, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. KARSONDAS PARSHOTAMDAS, of Bombay, Hindoo inhabitant, has contracted for the absolute sale to our clients, Mr. GOOLAM HOSSIN ALLOOBHOY MOOLJI HAJEE KARAMALLI MAHOMED JAITHA and others, the Trustees of HAJI JENABA, daughter of FAZALBHOY HABIBBHOY CHARITABLE TRUST, of the undermentioned property:—All that piece or parcel of land or ground of the Quit ground Rent Tenure with the tenements and buildings standing thereon, situate, lying and being at Doa Tad, Third Row, without the Fort of Bombay, in the Registration District of Bombay, in Bombay, containing by admeasurement 186 square yards or thereabouts and Registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under Collectors Old Nos 1257-1257, New No 6938, Old Survey Nos. 351 352, and New Survey No 2845, and by the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes, Bombay, under B Ward No 1688, Street Nos 23 2-7, Don Tad, Third Row, and are bounded as follows:—That is to say on or towards the East partly by a passage and partly by the property of Ebrahimbhoy Karrimbhoy Nanji, on or towards the West by Don Tad, Third Row, aforesaid on or to wards the North by the property of Abdoolaboy Lilani, and on or toward the South by the property of Esmailbhoy Peerbhoy Danjiand ars in the possession of the tenants of the said vendor.

All persons having or claiming any estate, right, title or interest in or to the said property or having any claim in respect thereof by way of inheritance, sale, mortgage, lease, gift, or otherwise howsoever are required to make such claims known in writing to the Undersigned at their Office No 29, Esplanade Road, Fort, and to the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof otherwise all such claims if any will be considered as waived and the sale will be completed without reference to any such claims.—Dated this 24th day of January, 1906.

ARDESIR HORMUSJI DINSHAW & Co.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.

THE CITY AND GUILDS OF LONDON INSTITUTE TECHNOLOGICAL EXAMINATIONS.

The Examinations of the above Institute in any of the 70 tabulated subjects will be held in the month of May next. Particulars will be found in the Programme of the Victoria Jubilee Technical Institute which will be sent on receipt of 6 annas by the Principal. Applications for examinations must reach the Principal not later than Thursday the 15th February, 1906.

Any Candidates are eligible for these examinations.

N. A. F. MOOS.
Hon. Secretary V. J. Technical Institute.

OUDH AND ROHILKHAND RAILWAY.

TENDERS FOR STEEL WAGONS.

TENDERS are invited from firms in India desirous of undertaking CONSTRUCTION OF COVERED GOODS WAGONS.

The Contractors will have to SUPPLY the whole of the MATERIAL required for their construction, except wheels and Axles, Axle boxes, Buffers, Bearing an Drawbar volute springs, which will be supplied by the Railway.

Delivery of complete Wagons to commence as soon after the 1st July, 1906, as possible, and to be completed by 31st March, 1907.

Drawings, and specifications giving the number of wagons required will be supplied on application to the Carriage and Wagon Superintendent, Lucknow, provided such application is accompanied with a deposit of Rs. 15, which latter will be returned on receipt of Each Pair Tender.

Tenders must be sealed and marked "Tenders for Covered Goods Wagons" and addressed to the Manager, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, Lucknow, and will be received up to noon of 15th February, 1906.

By Order.

P. A. HYDE,
Carriage and Wagon Superintendent,
Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway Lucknow.

PUBLIC NOTIFICATIONS.

NOVELTY THEATRE.

FOR THREE NIGHTS ONLY.

TO-NIGHT, THURSDAY, 25th AND TO-MORROW, FRIDAY, 26th JANUARY, at 9-30 p. m.

TOUR OF THE PARISIANS ARTISTES.

GASPARD-NEVA
The Famous Duettists.
MANUEL CHIMENO,
The Unequalled Pianist.
MLLE. FERNANDE,
La Femme Cameleon.
MLLE. F. DECOURTAL,
Soubrette Fantaisiste.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:

Stalls, Rs. 4 and 3; Dress Circle, Rs. 3 and 2; Pit and Gallery, Re. 1; Soldiers and Sailors, As. 12.

Plan at Messrs. SOUNDY & Co.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

THE Executive Engineer, Thana, will receive at Thana, at 3 P. M. Standard Time, on 6th February, 1906, Sealed Tenders for constructing a Road from Atgaon to Wada 1st section. Forms of tenders and other particulars can be had on payment of Rs. 2 to the Accountant Executive Engineer's Office, Thana, during office hours i.e. from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M., save on Sundays, Holidays and the day of receiving tenders.

Probable value of work .....Rs. 40,000
Amount of deposit .....Rs. 4,000
Amount of earnest money .....Rs. 500

F. R. UNWALA, I.C.E.
Acting Executive Engineer, Thana.

NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Superintendent, Government Central Press, up to 12 o'clock noon, Standard Time, of the 8th February, 1906, for SUPPLYING the Press for three years ending 28th February, 1909, with Miscellaneous Articles of Country Manufacture or Country Produce and Articles of PETTY PURCHASE of which samples can be seen on application to the Superintendent, from whom forms of Tender can be obtained. The form of agreement can also be seen at the Central Press.

2. Each Tender must be marked outside "Tender for the supply of Miscellaneous Articles and Articles of Petty Purchase to the Government Central Press," and must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. (5) Fifty, which will be forfeited in the event of delay or evasion on the part of the Tenderer in executing the agreement if his Tender is accepted.

3. The undersigned does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender,

E. E. COOMBS,
Superintendent,
Government Central Press.

Bombay, 25th January, 1906.

NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Superintendent Government Central Press, up to 12 o'clock, noon, Standard Time, of the 8th February, 1906, for CARTING, DAMMERING and SHIPPING BOXES and Parcels which may be despatched by Rail or Sea from the Government Central Press during the three years ending 28th February, 1909. Forms of Tender can be obtained from the Superintendent. The form of agreement can also be seen at the Central Press.

2. Each Tender must be marked outside "Tender for Carting, Dammering and Shipping Boxes and Parcels," and must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. (50) Fifty, which will be forfeited in the event of delay or evasion on the part of the Tenderer in executing the agreement if his Tender is accepted.

3. The undersigned does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

E. E. COOMBS,
Superintendent,
Government Central Press.

Bombay 25th January, 1906.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that KASIBAI, widow of DADABHOY NARAYEN, has contracted TO SELL All that piece or parcel of Pension and Tax land or ground together with the messuage, tenement or dwelling-house standing thereon, situate at Girgaum Road in the Registration sub-district of Bombay admeasuring 136 square yards or thereabouts, and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 335, New No. 2161, Old Survey No. 312, New Survey No. 2793, and Assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal rates and Taxes under Ward D No. 242, Street Nos. 9 and bounded as follows:—That is on or towards the North by public Road and the house of Dayaram Dalbi, on or towards the South by Government ground, on or towards the East by sweeper's messuage and the house of Narayen Janardhan, on or towards the West by a gully and the house of Pandurang Dadaji and which said premises are in the occupation of the said Kasibai. All persons having any right, title or interest in or to the aforsaid properties whether by way of sale Mortgage, lease, lien, gift, inheritance or otherwise should make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office No. 28, Meadows Street, Fort, within 14 days from the date hereof otherwise the purchase will be completed without reference to such claims if any such exist—Dated this 24th day of January, 1906.

MAGONLAL, JEHANGIR & GULABBHAI,
Purchaser's Attorneys.

THE BOMBAY BURMAH TRADING CORPORATION, LIMITED.

Notice is hereby given that the TRANSFER BOOKS will be closed from 23rd January to 5th February, 1906, both days inclusive, and the DIVIDEND will be payable on and after the 25th January, 1906, on presentation of Share Certificates.

WALLACE & Co.,
Secretaries, Treasurers & Managers.

Bombay 22nd, January, 1906.

HIGH CLASS FOOTWEAR of the best Europe Materials, good finish and reliable wear. Latest European Styles and fashions produced. Prices Moderate,—Messrs. JOSEPH IVAN and Co. Professional Shoemakers from the celebrated Andreas Neider of Vienna, No 13, Tamarind Lane, Fort.

THE DEMAND
FOR
STANDARD POLICIES.

EVERY YEAR since 1835 the NEW BUSINESS has exceeded £1,000,000 sums assured PER ANNUM—a result maintained uninterruptedly for so long a period by

NO OTHER BRITISH OFFICE

NEW POLICIES IN 1904
ISSUED FOR.....£2,433,730
ACCUMULATED FUNDS.....£11,320,875
ASSURANCES IN FORCE.....£23,155,265

ASK FOR THE 1903
PROSPECTUS containing
the LATEST RATES and NEW SCHEMES, obtainable from

F. A. PREVOST,
Secretary, Bombay Branch.

BINNY & Co.,
Chief Agents, Madras.

RAILWAY HOTEL, Bombay, Grant Road, near Moos Buildings, Gives it a trial and you will never regret your visit. Board and Residence, Rs. 4 and 3 per day. Very easy terms for permanent residents. Splendid Bar. Brand new Billiard Tables. Dinner Re. 1-4-0; Tiffin, Re 1-0-0; Breakfast As. 12. Dinners served till late hours.

SPECIAL SHORT ADVTS.

Only Advertisements for Clerks, Servants, &c., Houses to Let, and Goods for Sale or Wanted, are accepted in this Column.

RATES.—(Cash only.) Three lines, per insertion. One Rupee. Every additional line, Eight Annas. REPLIES will be sent "BEARING" unless amount to cover postage is previously remitted.

"CLARESQUE" PLATE POWDER,—Produces a polish like new on Jewellery, Silver Goods Plate and Clear Metals. Guaranteed free from Mercury. Trial Samples gratis on application. Per tin Annas 12, per dozen Rs. 8. We recommend it.—MANOKS and Co., Ltd., Bombay and Poona.

ARRIVAL OF NEW GOODS:—We are now showing an excellent and choice selection of E.P. Ware, Cutlery, Crockery, Table and Bed Linens, Cretonnes, etc. Inspection invited. M. BRESSLAUER & Co., Church Gate Street, Bombay.

TO LET—BUNGALOW from 1st February, 1906, at Malabar Hill, lately occupied by Mr. H. G. Gell. Apply to CUMMOO JAFFER SULLIMAN & Co., Girgaum, Bombay.

ALL Motor and Cycle Repairs scientifically. All Motor and Cycle Accessories at Cheapest Rates. New Catalogues ready. VATCHA BROS. Girgaum, Bombay.

ONE of the Sights of Bombay.—RAJA DEEN DAYAL'S ART PHOTOGRAPHIC SALOON replete with everything that Oriental luxury and Artistic taste can suggest and Visitors will not regret an inspection of their High Class Decorations, Artistic Paintings and Enlargements, and Indian Views of places of Special Interest, Portrait Paintings in oil on Photographic Basis a speciality. Hydraulic Lift available. Tata's Nippon Buildings. Top Floor, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay.

PETROL MOTOR CAR BRAND.—Imported by the ASIATIC PETROLEUM Co., LTD., Bombay, Agents:—FAZULBHOY M. CHINOY and Co., in Messrs SHALEBHOY TYEBJEE and SONS' Premises. Delal Lane, Fort.

WANTED BY the SHIRE HIGHLANDS RAILWAY, British Central Africa, One EURASIAN or NATIVE ENGINEER, to take entire charge of the maintainance and repairs of Telegraph Line 150 Miles long and two NATIVE TELEGRAPH LINESMEN. In reply state experience, previous Employment and Salary required, Apply Box No 295J. Advt., Dept., "Bombay Gazette".

WANTED Gentlemen to get their Applications, Memorials, Appeals prepared in a very effective style to insure success. Done in expert form. Apply to Box "No. 1234A Advt. Dept. "Bombay Gazette."

PIANOFORTE LESSONS.—A LADY holding a LICENTIATE DIPLOMA from the Royal Academy of MUSIC, London, is desirous of taking a few more PUPILS. Apply care of SEYMOUR DOVE & Co., Esplanade Road.

AN INVITATION—Meals which cost Rs. 2 and 3 elsewhere can be got at the RAILWAY HOTEL, Bombay, Grant Road, for nearly half the rate. Give it a trial and judge for yourself. Only genuine Meals and liquors stocked and sold at moderate rates. Brand new Billiard Tables. Very easy terms for permanent residents Dinners served till late hours.

PRINCE OF WALES HOTEL, Elphinstone Circle opposite the Town Hall. Further extensions and renovations. Now provided with commodious suites with bath rooms attached to each. Rates from Rs. 2-8-0 to Rs. 4-0-0 per day. Special arrangements for monthly boarders and families making a prolonged stay. Cuisine a specialty.—Apply to the MANAGER.

MESSRS. OLIVER & Co.—Only Respectable and Trustworthy Servants of all denominations supplied. The original and only firm that supplies thoroughly efficient and reliable High Class Domestic Servants. Patronized by the Governor of Bombay, Army and Navy as well as the Leading Clubs and Hotels. Essentially First Class Goanese and Mahomedan Servants for whom we guarantee. Fee, Bombay Rs. 2, and Mofussil Rs. 3 for each servant.—No. 4, Church Gate Street, Fort, Bombay Established 1878.

COTTON BUSINESS.—Cotton and Seed, and Factory Business, Upcountry, WANT POST as Manager, or Assistant in these, for Buying Cotton, Wheat, Seeds &c. Working Factories, Pressing and Ginning, Jute, Flour, Oil, and other Mills. Have served 20 Honry years, as Agent to European Firms. Visited Steam Factories, and Travelled throughout India. Proficient in Opening New Stations. Also Erected and Dismantled Factories. Highest Testimonials. Address, "COMRA," care of "Bombay Gazette."

REPAIRS OF Rs. 1-8 within 25 years, I take this opportunity to tell you that Singer's Sewing Machine, which I purchased 25 years ago, has required only Rs. 1-8 for repairs, and it is still going strong of all parts. J. R. Gardener. 18, Forbes Street, Bombay.

THE BOMBAY GAZETTE DESCRIPTIVE SHEET ALMANACK FOR 1903.—Only a few Copies available. Got up in a neat and an attractive style in colours on superior paper. Contains in brief valuable and useful information regarding H. E. the Governor in Council, Staff and Additional Members in Council, Gazetted Public Holidays and various departments of the Bombay Municipality, the Bombay Port Trust, the B. B. & C. I. Ry., the G. I. P. Ry., Bombay Post Office, the Stamp Schedule, &c. Price per copy ANNAS FOUR only. Apply at the "Bombay Gazette" Office, Meadow Street.

A BOON TO SUFFERING HUMANITY. SURGERY SUPERSEDED.—SURGERY not needed at all:—Thorough cures for Hydrocele, Hernia, Elephantasis, Piles, Fistula, with its horrible and maddening agonies, and all sorts of Rectum and Scrotum diseases. Fatty or windy body reduction in such a body from 4 to 6 inches certain after 15 days' treatment) Rheumatism, Gout, Paralysis, Spermatorrhœa, Sterility, Diabetes, Dyspepsia, Nasal complaints, Leprosy and all sorts of malignant diseases are thoroughly cured by infallible and harmless vegetable medicines. Apply Dr. BALKRISHNA N. JOSHI, of Benares, Pardeo Bridge, near Tram Terminus, Motiwala's Chawl Pardeo, Bombay,

BACK NUMBERS of THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE" Daily, the Weekly, and the Weekly Mail addition, when available, are supplied on the following terms:—Seven days from date of issue, 4 annas; 8 to 30 days from date of issue, 8 annas, 30 days to one year, 1 rupee and of older dates than one year from Rs. 2 per copy according to numbers available. Reference charge one Rupee.

FOR SALE.—A TIBETAN-ENGLISH DICTIONARY, with Sanskrit Synonyms, by Sarat Chandra Das, Rai Bahadur, C.I.E. Revised and Edited under the orders of the Government of Bengal by Graham Sandberg, B. A., and A. William Heyde. Apply "Gazette" Bombay Gazette."

DEWJEE CANJEE & Co.—Teakwood and Blackwood Plain and Inlaid Furniture of English Designs of made to Order.—Chuckla No. 9.

COMFORTABLE HOME, in a healthy part of Belgium offered to young children of parents abroad, Special care, home comforts. Terms Moderate Address, Mlle. NEEL, Maseyck, Belgium.

ELECTRO PLATING in Silver, Nickel, Gold, and Bronze, of finest finish and most durable quality, undertaken by THE BOMBAY ELECTRIC COMPANY, Electrical Engineers and Platers in ordinary to His Excellency the Governor of Bombay.

REPORTS, Petitions, Memorials, Business Announcements, Bill Forms, Books, Pamphlets, &c &c., printed with neatness and promptitude and at lowest rates, special terms for large contracts, Apply to the Manager "Bombay Gazette" Steam Press,

WM. HUTCHINSON & Co., East India Merchants and Agents, undertake all Agency business. 1, Trafalgar Building, Charing Cross London.

FORMS OF POWER OF ATTORNEY. Neatly printed. Price 3 Annas. Can be had at the Bombay Gazette" Office.

R. SCOTT & Co. M.R.C.V.S.,
VETERINARY AND COMMISSION STABLES AND COACH BUILDERS.
GIRGAUM AND GOWALIA TANK ROAD
Oldest Established Firm in Bombay.

CHARGERS, Polo Ponies, Hacks and carriage Horses selected with the greatest care for Local and Up-country Constituents.

HORSES shod on the most approved principles with Shoes made on the premises of specially imported iron, under the immediate supervision of a first class ENGLISH FARRIER.

ARABS and C.-BREDS broken to Single (Rs. 15) and Double Harness (Rs. 30), and Saddle (Rs. 15). Waers broken to Single Harness or Saddle (Rs. 25) Double Harness (Rs. 50.) Troublesome horses charged extra.

HORSES standing at Livery on Commission Sale or for treatment, Rs. 35 per mensem including Syce, Stable rent charged on all horses, fed by owners, at Rs. 5 per mensem, Commission on horses bought and sold Rs. 17. Examination and Certificate Rs. 10. Verbal opinion as to Soundness, Rs. 5.

CRUSHED HORSE FOOD best in the market, Rs. 5-8 per cwt., delivered free in Bombay. Special Mixtures, Bran, Gram, Barley, New Zealand Oats, Australian Chaff, Pressed Hay, etc., supplied at lowest rates consistent with good quality.

ESTIMATES given, and Carriages of every description built of the very best materials, under personal supervision, by skilled workmen.

REPAIRS neatly executed with promptitude and despatch. Rubber tyres of finest quality only supplied. Carriages created by contract, Satisfaction guaranteed. Correspondence invited.

SALES BY AUCTION.

CRAWFORD AND COMPANY,
NO. 7, MARINE STREET.

AUCTION SALE OF 290 CASES SUPERIOR WINES & SPIRITS & 13 CASES FRENCH CONFECTIONERY & PLUMS.

Under instructions from N. C. Macleod, Esq., Official Assignee and Assignee of the Estate of Manekji Cowasji Todiwala and another, Insolvents, who traded as Morcenas & Co. Messrs CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction at their Rooms, THIS DAY, THURSDAY, the 25th inst, at 2 p. m, the following cases of superior wines, spirits and confectionery consisting of—

20 cases Robert McNish & Co's Doctor's Special Whisky.
50 cases Hamilton Blend Liqueur Scotch Whisky.
15 cases G Blundell & Co's Cabinet Scotch Whisky.
18 cases James Munro & Son's Whiteley's "Perfection" and "Liqueur," "House of Lords" & "V O S" Scotch Whisky.
12 cases Cusenier Brandy.
73 cases Port, Sherry and Vermouth.
2 cases French confectionery.
7 cases Assorted cheeses and Assorted fruits in Syrup and Brandy.
4 cases Imperial, French plums.

CRAWFORD & CO.

Bombay, 23th January, 1906.

WINES, SPIRITS, BEERS, &c.

CLUB WINES.

PHIPSON & Co., Bombay, are now supplying about 200 Military and Naval Officers' Messes and 100 Clubs with the finest VINTAGE WINES, Spirits or Liqueurs from the following well-known Houses:—

POMMERY AND GRENO.	Rheims.
WILLIAMS, HUMBERT & Co.	Jerez.
HEIDSIECK & Co.	Rheims.
CARSTAIRS & ROBERTSON.	Leith.
PERRIER JOUET & Co.	Epernay.
PAGE AND SANDEMAN.	London.
POL ROGER & Co.	Rheims.
BOLLINGER.	Ay.
GIESLER & Co.	Avise.
JAMES HAWKER & Co.	Plymouth.
JUSTERINI & BROOKS.	London.
COCKBURN & CAMPBELL.	Edinburgh.
NATH, JOHNSTON & SONS.	Bordeaux.
J. SACCONE, Lo.	Gibraltar.
COSSART, GORDON & Co.	Madeira.
A. DE LUZE ET FILS.	Bordeaux.
BUTLER, NEPHEW & Co.	Oporto.
COCKBURN, SMITHES & Co.	Oporto.
WARRE & Co.	Oporto.
VAN-ZELLERS & Co.	Oporto.
WOODHOUSE & Co.	Marsala.
LEACOCK & Co.	Madeira.
AYALA & Co.	Ay.
KIDD & SHADBOLT.	London.
P. J. VALCKENBERG.	Worms.
O. MAREY & LIGER-BELAIR.	Côte d'Or.
ACKERMANN—LAURANCE.	Saumur.
ANDREW ROWAN.	Melbourne.
AUSTRALIAN WINE Co.	Melbourne.
JOS. DIETZL.	Budapesth.
R. SCHLUMBERGER.	Vosiau.
JAMES CATHCART & Co.	Leith.
CHAS. MACKINLAY & Co.	Leith.
JOHN CRABBIE & Co.	Leith.
SIR ROBERT BURNETT & Co.	London.
J. & W. NICHOLSON & Co.	London.
RUTHERFORD & BROWNE.	London.
JOHN JAMESON & SON, Ld.	Dublin.
WILLIAM & KEITH JOPP.	Aberdeen
MACKENZIE BROS.	Strathaire.
NOILLY PRAT & CIE.	Marseilles.
COATES & Co.	Plymouth.
MARTELL & Co.	Cognac.
E. CUSENIER & CIE.	Marseilles.
P. B. BURGOYNE & Co.	London.

Secretaries and Presidents of Clubs and Military Messes can now obtain Wines, Spirits, or Liqueurs, &c., from the above well-known Firms without the inconvenience and expenses of importing them direct.

PRICE LIST ON APPLICATION TO

PHIPSON & Co.,
BOMBAY.

HUNTLY BLEND WHISKY.

THE FAVORITE BRAND OF INDIA.

Of all dealers, or of

ALDRIDGE, SALMON & Co., LD., BOMBAY,
SOLE AGENTS.

OTB THE CHEAPEST Old PEG McTaggart WHISKY Rs. 27 per Doz. Blend

ONLY ONE TRIAL WILL SATISFY.

SOLE AGENTS:
CROFT, MODY & CO.,
BOMBAY,
RETAIL SUPPLIERS:
Messrs. BRANDON & Co.,
VICTORIA TERMINUS,
AND
Messrs. DENISON & Co.
HUMMUM ST. BOMBAY.

WM. HUTCHINSON & Co.,
BANKERS, MERCHANTS AND EAST INDIA AGENTS.
TRAFALGAR BUILDINGS.
NORTHUMBERLAND AVENUE
CHARING CROSS, LONDON, W. C.
TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, PULLICAT LONDON.
A. B. C. CODE USED.

CONSIGNMENTS of PRODUCE received and disposed.

INDENTS executed with care and promptitude.

PASSAGES booked by a line of Steamers.

ALL AGENCY BUSINESS undertaken.

The representatives of WM. HUTCHINSON and Co., on RECEIPT of INTIMATION, Board Steamers from the East on their arrival at Plymouth, or Gravesend, or at the Docks, to take instruction as to Landing and Forwarding Baggage, &c.

FOR SALE.—OLD MAGAZINES, of various dates, Macmillan's, The National Review, Edinburgh Review &c. &c. Apply O C, care of "Bombay Gazette."

FOR SALE, WANTED, &c.

Daily, thrice a week.—First Three Insertions Four Annas per line (Re. 2 per inch); Fourth and onward Two Annas Re. 1 per inch); Twice or Once a week; First Three Insertions Four Annas per line (Re. 3 per inch); Fourth and onward Three Annas per line (Re. 1-8 per inch). Minimum Charges Re. 2.

BASEMENT AND OFFICE.

TO LET in a NEW BUILDING in the Fort, "QUEENS MANSIONS," Just off HORNBY ROAD and next Cathedral Girls' School.

GROUND FLOOR OFFICE.—Area about 4,000 sq. ft. lofty and light fitted for electric light and fans, Rs. 300.

BASEMENT—Light and dry, patent stone floor, electric light, area about 8,936 ft., Rs. 300.

FURNISHED FLAT, from April to Nov. 1st Rs. 175.

Above are situated in the heart of the business quarter.

C. E. COPPLESTONE,
Whiteaway, Laidlaw and Co.

WANTED

A BOILER INSPECTOR for the Punjab, on a pay of Rs. 350, rising by annual increments of Rs. 10 per mensem, for approved service, to Rs. 400 per mensem, plus the travelling allowance of a second class officer as defined in Article 1902, Civil Service Regulations.

The holder of the appointment, whose head quarters will be at

INTENDING ASSURERS ARE INVITED TO COMPARE THE RATES AND CONDITIONS OF

THE EMPIRE OF INDIA LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, LD.

WITH THOSE OF ANY OTHER COMPANY.

HEAD OFFICE: 11, ELPHINSTONE CIRCLE, BOMBAY.

THE PREMIUMS

Are so moderate that, at usual ages for assurance, Rs. 1,200 or Rs. 1,250 may be secured, from the first for the yearly payment which would generally elsewhere assure Rs. 1,000 only—the difference of Rs. 200 or Rs. 250 being equivalent to

AN IMMEDIATE AND CERTAIN BONUS OF 20 TO 25 PER CENT.

ILLUSTRATIVE TABLE

SHOWING THE ANNUAL PREMIUM PAYABLE FOR VARIOUS KINDS OF POLICIES WITH PROFITS.

Age next Birthday.	Whole Life Assurances of Rs. 1,000.				Endowment Assurances of Rs. 1,000				Age next Birthday.
	Whole Life Premiums.	Premiums Limited to			Payable at death, or in				
		10 years.	15 years.	20 years.	15 years.	20 years.	25 years.		
	Rs. a.	Rs. a.	Rs. a.	Rs. a.	Rs. a.	Rs. a.	Rs. a.		
20	21 10	48 8	36 6	30 7	64 5	47 6	37 11		20
21	22 1	49 4	36 14	30 15	64 6	47 8	37 13		21
22	22 9	50 0	37 7	31 7	64 8	47 10	37 15		22
23	23 1	50 12	38 0	31 15	64 9	47 12	38 1		23
24	23 9	51 8	38 10	32 7	64 11	47 14	38 4		24
25	24 2	52 5	39 4	33 0	64 13	48 0	38 7		25
26	24 11	53 2	39 15	33 9	64 15	48 3	38 10		26
27	25 5	54 0	40 10	34 2	65 1	48 6	38 14		27
28	26 15	54 14	41 8	34 12	65 4	48 9	39 2		28
29	26 9	55 13	42 1	35 6	65 7	48 12	39 6		29
30	27 4	56 12	42 13	36 0	65 10	49 0	39 11		30
31	27 15	57 13	43 10	36 11	65 13	49 4	40 0		31
32	28 11	58 14	44 7	37 6	66 0	49 8	40 6		32
33	29 8	59 15	45 4	38 2	66 4	49 13	40 12		33
34	30 6	61 1	46 2	38 15	66 8	50 2	41 3		34
35	31 5	62 4	47 1	39 12	66 1	50 8	41 10		35
36	32 5	63 8	48 0	40 10	67 2	50 14	42 2		36
37	33 5	64 12	49 0	41 9	67 8	51 5	42 11		37
38	34 6	66 1	50 1	42 8	67 14	51 12	43 5		38
39	35 8	67 6	51 3	43 8	68 4	52 5	43 15		39
40	36 11	68 12	52 5	44 9	68 11	52 14	44 10		40
41	38 0	70 3	53 8	45 11	69 3	53 8	45 6		41
42	39 6	71 11	54 13	46 14	69 12	54 3	46 4		42
43	40 13	73 4	56 1	48 2	70 6	55 0	47 3		43
44	42 5	74 13	57 6	49 7	71 0	55 14	48 4		44
45	43 14	76 7	58 12	50 13	71 11	56 18	49 6		45

A PERSON OF 30 may secure Rs. 1,000 at Death by a yearly payment of Rs. 27-4 during life. The Premium would generally elsewhere secure Rs. 900 only instead of Rs. 1,000,

OR, if unwilling to burden himself with payments during his whole life, he may secure the same sum of Rs. 1,000 by twenty yearly payments of Rs. 36, being thus free of Premiums before age 50, this premium being about the same as most Offices require during the whole term of life,

OR, if preferring to make provision for his old age or for his family in case of death, he may secure the same sum of Rs. 1,000 payable at age 55 or death by yearly payments of Rs. 39-11.

TO PROFESSIONAL MEN AND OTHERS

Whose income is dependent upon health the Limited Payment System or Endowment Assurance is specially recommended.

E. F. ALLUM, General Manager.

BANKS.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Paid up Capital ..... $ 100,00,00
Sterling Reserve Fund ..... $ 100,00,00
Silver Reserve Fund ..... $ 8,500,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors ..... $ 100,00,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS AND HEAD OFFICE IN HONGKONG:

J. R. M. SMITH, Chief Manager.

London Bankers.—LONDON AND COUNTY BANKING COMPANY LD.,

LONDON COMMITTEE.

SIR THOS. JACKSON, BART., Chairman.
JAEL MEYER, Esq., (Director, National Bank, Egypt).
WM. GAIR RATHBONE, Esq., (Director, Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Co.)
JOHN WALTER, Esq.
A. M. TOWNSEND, } Managers,
C. S. ADDIS Esqr. }

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES:

LONDON, HONGKONG, SHANGHAI

AMOY.	HANKOW.	PENANG.
BANGKOK.	KOBE.	RANGOON
BATAVIA.	ILOILO.	SAIGON.
BOMBAY.	LYONS.	SAN FRANCISCO
CALCUTTA.	MANILA.	SINGAPORE.
COLOMBO.	NAGASAKI.	SOURABAYA.
FOOCHOW.	NEW YORK.	TIENTSIN
HAMBURG.	PEKING.	YOKOHAMA.

BOMBAY AGENCY

CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS.

Interest allowed at 1 per cent. per annum on Daily Balance if not under Rs. 1,000 and not exceeding Rs. 1,60,000 but no interest is allowed when the sum accrued does not amount to Rs. 5 half yearly.

FIXED DEPOSITS

Are received for 12 months and for shorter periods on terms which may be ascertained on application.

Credits granted on approved Securities and every Description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.

Drafts granted on London and the chief commercial place in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan

J. A. JEFFREY, Acting Agent.
1 Church Gate Street, Bombay.

NATIONAL BANK OF INDIA, LD.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL...£1,200,000
PAID-UP CAPITAL £600,000
RESERVE FUND.....£525,000

HEAD OFFICE:

7, BISHOPSGATE STREET WITHIN LONDON, E.

BRANCHES:

Calcutta,	Delhi,	Cawnpore,	Tuticorin,
Lahore,	Bombay,	Colombo,	Zanzibar,
Amritsar,	Madras,	Mandalay,	Mombassa.
Karachi,	Rangoon,	Newara Eliya,	Nairobi.
Steamer Point, Aden.		Kandy,	Chittagong.

FIXED DEPOSITS.

The Bank receives DEPOSITS FIXED for one year and shorter periods, at Rates of Interest to be ascertained on application.

CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS are opened for approved Customers, and interest is allowed at 2 per cent. per annum on daily balances from Rs. 1,000 up to Rs. 100,000, but no Interest is allowed when the sum accrued does not amount to Rs. 5 half-yearly.

BILLS OF EXCHANGE payable in the principal Cities of Europe, India, China, and Australia purchased or collected.

DRAFTS are granted on the Head Office and Branches of the Bank and on the principal Cities of Europe and Australia. Remittances may be made by telegram.

The Bank undertakes the purchase and sale of Government Securities, Stocks, and Shares and receives same for safe custody realising Interest and Dividends when due.

LOANS and CASH CREDITS granted on approved Securities.

HARRY S. JOHNSTON,
Acting Manager.

THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LD.,

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL.....	Yen 24,000,000
PAID-UP CAPITAL	„ 18,000,000
ORDINARY RESERVE FUND...	„ 9,940,000
SPECIAL RESERVE FOR SILVER FUNDS	„ 800,000

HEAD OFFICE: YOKOHAMA.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES:

London.	Shanghai.	Port Arthur.	Kobe.
Lyons.	Hongkong.	Mukden.	Osaka.
New York.	Tientsin	Fairen.	Tokyo.
San Francisco.	Peking.	Chefoo.	Nagasaki.
Honolulu.	Newchang.	Tieling.	Bombay.

LONDON BANKERS.

The Bank of England; The London Joint Stock Bank, Ld.; The Union of London and Smiths Bank, Ld.; The Parr's Bank, Ld.

BOMBAY BRANCH.

LIBERAL INTEREST allowed on CURRENT ACCOUNTS, FIXED DEPOSITS on terms to be known on application.

CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

DRAFTS granted on JAPAN and the Chief Commercial places in the World.

K. KODAMA,
Manager.
Albert Buildings, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay.

BANKS.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER

CAPITAL..... £800,000
RESERVE FUND..... £375,000
RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHAREHOLDERS..... £800,000

HEAD OFFICE:

BATTON COURT, THREADNEEDLE STREET LONDON.

AGENCIES AND BRANCHES

Hamburg	Ipoh (Perak)	Hongkong
Bombay	Singapore	Foochow
Calcutta	Kwala Lumpor	Saigon
Madras	Bangkok	Shanghai
Rangoon	Batavia	Tientsin
Colombo	Sourabaya	Hankow
Penang	Manila	Yokohama
Thaiping	Cebu (Philippines)	Kobe
Medan Deli (Sumatra)		New York

THE CORPORATION grant DRAFTS on the above Agencies and Branches and also on the principal Commercial Cities throughout the world; buy and receive for collection BILLS OF EXCHANGE, issue TRAVELLING LETTERS OF CREDIT and undertake general Banking Business of every description.

CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS.

Interest is allowed at 2 per cent. per annum on the minimum Monthly Balances if not under Rs. 1,000 and not exceeding Rs. 1,00,000, but no Interest is allowed when the sum accrued does not amount to Rs. 5 half yearly.

Amounts above Rs. 1,00,000 will be received on terms which may be ascertained upon application.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES, STOCKS and SHARES bought and sold on account of clients and also received for safe custody and collection of Interest and Dividends when due.

FIXED DEPOSITS are received for twelve months and shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.

OFFICE HOURS—10-30 A.M. to 3-30 P.M,
Saturday—10-30 A.M. to 1-30 P.M.

GEORGE MILLER,
Acting Agent.

Esplanade Road, Bombay.

THE NEW "REVLUC" PINCE-NEZ.

DURING the Hot Steamy Weather when your Glasses persist in falling off your nose, a pair of "REVLUC" FRAME fitted to your own lense, will be found a great boon.

They are self adjusting
There is nothing to break
They are always Horizontal
They are the acme of comfort and very strong
No slipping off the Nose.

Prices of Frames only, inclusive of fitting:—
Nickel Rs. 3-8. Gold Rs. 35.

MARCKS & CO., LD.
BOMBAY AND POONA.

CUMMOO JAFFER SULLEMAN & Co.,
GIRGAUM, BOMBAY.

NEW and Second-hand Englishbuilt CARRIAGES, LANDAUS, BROUGHAMS and VICTORIAS by well known Makers FOR SALE.

CARRIAGE repairs of every description will be executed with prompt attention.

HOUSES Furnished with the latest styles, neat Furniture.

FURNITURE of the latest design FOR SALE and on HIRE, and also made to order.

CROCKERY, GLASS-WARE, and PLATED-WARE, &c., FOR SALE and on HIRE.

OVERLAND SUMMARY, PUBLISHED Weekly on the Departure of English Mail, 32 Pages of the "Full Mail Budget" also, containing all the information of the previous week, carefully arranged. Army Orders, &c. Indian Subscription Rs. 12 per year, free of postage; English Subscription Rs. 15 per year including Postage.

PRINCE OF WALES HOTEL.

ELPHINSTONE CIRCLE,
Opposite the Town Hall.
Further extensions and renovations.
Rooms airy and commodious
with Bath-rooms attached to each.
Rates from Rs. 2-8 to Rs. 4-0 per day.
Special arrangements for monthly Boarders and Families making a prolonged stay.
Cuisine a Speciality.
Apply to the MANAGER.

BEYNON'S

PECTORAL COUGH ELIXIR,

Price As. 12.

THE KING OF COUGH CURES

Should be kept in every household.

An infallible Cure for Coughs, Asthma, and all Pulmonic Complaints.

THE FRIEND of the CONSUMPTIVE.

A dose or two relieves irritation however acute.

Can be used to advantage with ST. LUKE'S EMBROCATION, 1 Re. per bot.

PREPARED ONLY BY

BEYNON & CO.,
STANDARD PHARMACY,
BOMBAY.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE steamer Glenin 2213 tons Captain J W Leamouth sailed yesterday for Leith with a general cargo

THE steamer Burrafield 2615 tons Captain J H Mackenzie arrived in harbour on Tuesday evening from Calcutta 13th January with a cargo of coal

THE steamer Arimatea 2186 tons Captain F Vidulich arrived in harbour on the 23rd instant from Tiume 1st January with a general cargo

THE steamer Ville-de-Tumatave 2313 tons Captain H Peancellier arrived in harbour yesterday from Mauritius with a cargo of sugar and passengers

THE steamer Orissa 3 23 tons Captain F Gun Cunningham arrived in harbour yesterday from Calcutta 12th January with a cargo of coal and Mrs F B Philbs as a passenger

THE steamer Is malia 3381 tons Captain A E Sleb bing arrived in harbour yesterday from Calcutta 12th Jan uary with a cargo of coal

THE BISN Co's steamer Uriana 3383 tons Captain J E F Butler arrived in harbour yesterday from Rangoon 14th January with a cargo of rice and passengers

THE French mail steamer Nora 3429 tons Captain R Schmitz arrived in harbour yesterday from Noumea 14th December with a general cargo and passengers

THE BISN Co's steamer Lhasa 933 tons Captain H McDiarmid arrived in harbour yesterday from Karachi via coast ports with a general cargo and passengers

THE BISN Co's steamer Kasara 934 tons Captain H M Cuthbush will sail to-day for Persian Gulf via Karachi with a general cargo and deck passengers

THE B and P S N Co's steamer Monsoori 1735 tons Captain J Hannah sailed yesterday for Red Sea ports and Jedah with deck passengers

THE P and O Co's steamer Formosa 2615 tons Captain H W Snow, arrived in harbour yesterday from Yokohama, 19th December with a cargo of coal and general

ARRIVALS.

Jan.	Vessel.	Commander.	From.
22	Ville de-la Tamatave s	Peancellier ...	Port Louis, Jan 12
24	Burrafield s	Mackenzie ...	Calcutta, Jan 13
	Orissa s	Cunningham	Calcutta, Jan 12
	Imalia s	Stebbing ...	Calcutta, Jan 12
	Formosa s	Snow ...	Yokohama Dec 19
	Arimatea s	Vidulich ...	Fiume, Jan 1
	Uriana s	Butler ...	Rangoon Jan 16
	Nera s	Schmitz ...	Nouméa, Dec 14
	Lhasa s	McDiarmed..	Karachi, Jan 22
	Evana S Y	Jones ...	Dartmouth, Dec 2-1

DEPARTURES.

Jan.	Vessel.	Commander	Destination.
24	Branksome Hall s..	Woolfenden	Hull, &c
	King Robert s	Saunder	Karachi
	Mosqueira s	Hannah ...	Leith
	Glenmin s	Leamouth ...	Leith

The steamer Kasara Cuthbush, for Persian Gulf, obtained their port clearances yesterday.

The following vessels began to load yesterday
Steamer Nera, for Marseilles, &c
" For Cosa, for China
" Ville-de-Tamatave, for Marseilles &c
" Arimatea for Calcutta
" Lingu, for Bangoon

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The Clan Line steamer Clan Macfadyen, arrived at London on the evening of the 22nd instant.

The B I S N Co's steamer Quilca, left Port Said on the morning of the 23rd instant.

The German East Africa Line steamer Bundesrath, left Zanzibar for Bombay on the 23rd evening, via Lamu and Mombassa.

The Austrian Lloyd's steamer China, from Japan left Hongkong for Bombay on the afternoon of the 24th instant

The same Co's steamer Gisela, left Calcutta for Trieste on the afternoon of the 21th instant

DAILY EXPORTS.—JAN. 24.

FOR LIVERPOOL

Britania s—56 bales wool W and A Graham and Co; 332 cwt oil cake Glade and Co; 500 cwts oldcopper K Nixon and Co; 45 cwt copper to Kerosa; 100 bales cotton Mr Ratansie 200 bales cotton Gaddum and Co; 50 bales wool L Hurbhum 65 bales wool D Nagji 46 bales wool K Balkrishnadas 13 bales wool M J Joomabije 93 bales cotton Owen Okell

Boscombe s—50 bales hemp and 36 bales cotton waste 65 bales gunny cuttings Parshotam Bhimjee 400 cwt cealseed J Lukhmidas 200 cwt oil cake Glade and Co; 2200 cwt cottonseed Barrett and Co; 1007 cwt myraboloms Ebjee Joomersey

FOR MANCHESTER.

Britannia s—12 bales twist K Nick Nixon and Co

FOR GLASGOW

Britannia s—72 cwt cotton cuttings H Mukherjie and Sons

FOR LONDON.

Duna s—571 bales hemp Kiddle Reeve and Co; 4 bales cotton The Bombay General Trading Co; 21 cwt blood manure Aboo Hossein 173 cwt horns B Esmail 250 bales hemp A Branwell and Co; 301 cwt mirgers ed J Lukhmidas 100 bales cotton N Khairaz and Co

Merton Hall s—1109 cwt myrabollams E Joomersey 51 bales hemp Tyabji and Co

Egypt s—1090 cwt myrabollams Ebjee Joomersey 120 cwt oilbanum M J Joomabhoy and Co; 48 bales hemp R A Wells

FOR LEITH.

Gloamf. s—6339 cwts cottonseed Killick Nixon and Co

FOR HULL.

Othello r—2 2 bales hemp Kiddle Reeve and Co; 2306 cwt cottonseed Dhanjee Nanjee and Co; 1000 cwt cottonseed Ebjee Joomersey 1738 cwts cottonseed M Ruttonsed 2000 cwts cottonseed G Maneck

FOR ANTWERP.

Nithdale s—116 bales cotton 2410 cwts linseed and Rallı Bros 2010 cwts gingelyseed Killick Nixon and Co; 110 bales cotton Gaddum and Co

Clan Urquhart s—100 cwt gum P Jethabhoy 2001 cwt gingellyseed Jehangir Cama and Co 2000 cwts gingellyseed K Nixon and Co; 1464 bales cotton Ralli Bros; 1000 cwts rapeseed Volkart Brothers 500 cwt bone sinews Croft Mody and Co 10 bales hemp Pursbotam Bhimjee

FOR HAMBURG.

Kish s—341 bales cotton Ralli Bros 2223 bales cotton fly Khanjie Visram and Co; 150 cwt gum N A Sataı and Co 100 cwts gum D Vallybhoy Cand Co; 20 cwt guts A Meyer; 6 cwts castorseed G Bhimjie

FOR MARSEILLES

Britannia s—5 bls geranium oil Jaitha Ramjie 34 cwt gum 50 cwt jva Kajoo R Jeewandas

Stanley Hall s—linseed grass oil M J Joomabhoy and Co 4000 cwt crushed bones M Jamal

FOR BARCELONA.

Britannia s—50 bales cotton The Bombay Co 350 bales cotton Gaddum and Co

FOR GENOA.

Merton Hall s—50 tons old iron M Samjee 50 cwt gum P Juthabhoy 550 bales tons old iron C Boggian and Co

FOR TRIESTE.

Imperator s—125 cwt oilbanum M J Joomabhoy and Co; 9 cwt guts Ad Meiyer

FOR YOKHANCHI.

Pundit 100 bales cotton Gaddum and Co; 200 bales cotton Tata and Co

FOR HONGKONG.

Formosa s—3000 bales twist David Sassoon and Co; 1132 bales twist C Ebrahim and Co; 75 bales twist Framjee Sons and Co; 1000 bales twist Sassoon J David and Co; 244 bales twist E Noordin and Co

DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

THE Charge for Announcements of BIRTHS, MARRIAGES DEATHS and MEMORIAM Notices (which must be authenticated by the name and address of the sender) is Rs 2 for six lines or less and 8 as. for every additional lines. CASH strictly in ADVANCE.

BOMBAY.

BIRTH.

MACLEOD—January 23, at Malabar Hill, the wife of N. C. Macleod, Barrister-at-Law, of a daughter.

OTHER PRESIDENCIES.

BIRTHS.

ORR—January 19, at Rawal Pindi the wife of Captain G M Orr, XIth K B O Lancers, of a son.

SOUTHEY—January 17, at Hyderabad, Sind the wife of Lieutent-Colonel R Southey, 12th Baluchis of a son.

DEATH.

INGLIS—January 13, at Jallundur, night of the Dorothy Mary, the dearly beloved daughter of Sub-Conductor W H Inglis M W Services aged 11 years 10 months and 6 days.

℞ Bombay. Dec. 1905.

1/4 Floral Mouth Elixir, (Kemp) 1 bottle.
1/- Dentists Tooth Powder, (Kemp), 1 bottle.
-/8 Equatorial Sanitary Tooth Brush, (Kemp), —one.
m. Use morning and evening,

To be dispensed by

Kemp & Co Ltd

7 Elphinstone Circle, or at their branches.

BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Sun rises, 6h. 33m. Sun sets, 5h. 49m. High water, 11-49m. Low water, 5-59m., 5-43s.
Municipal Corporation, 3-30 p.m., (S. T.)
City of Bombay Manufacturing Company, 9 Hornby Road, 3-15 p.m.
Bombay Natural History Society, 5-45 p.m.
Harmston's Circus, Esplanade, 9-30 p.m. (S. T.)
Novelty Theatre, the Parisian Artistes, 9-30 p.m. (S. T.)

POLO.—There will be a game of polo on the maidan to day at 5-30 p.m.

REPORTED BURGLARY.—Amrabhai Bhaichand, a Hindu, residing at Mombadevi, reports that his house was broken into some time during on Tuesday night, and gold and silver ornaments of the collective value of Rs. 867 were stolen from two trunks.

CIRCUS MONKEY RUNS "AMOK".—A monkey, belonging to Deval's Circus, now performing at Dadar, on Tuesday evening, broke loose and entered the compound of one Anandrao Harishankar on the Nalgaum Road. A little girl named Manibai, aged 8, who was in the compound, seeing the monkey began to run away when it chased her and badly clawed her about the face and body. She was removed to the J. J. Hospital for treatment.

BAND AT THE COOPERAGE.—By kind permission of Lieut-Colonel S. J. Sarjant, V. D., and Officers of the 1st Battalion, G. I. P. Ry. Vol Band will play the following programme of music under the direction of Mr. A. Mallandaine, Band Master, commencing at 6 p. m. to-day.

March ..... Io'anthe ..... Sullivan
Overture ..... Le Reine Dene Jour ..... Adam
Fantasia ..... Eric ..... H Basquit
Part song Two
Sep ..... Anona ..... Grey
Selection ..... The Pirates of Penzance ..... Sullivan
Valse ..... Seniors' Fleurs ..... Waldteufert

BOMBAY NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY.—A meeting of the Members will be held this afternoon at the Society's Rooms, at 6 Apollo Street, at 5-45 p.m. when the following papers will be read:—(1) The Oology of Indian Parasitic Cuckoos, by F C Stuart Baker, F Z S. (2) The Origin of Anonas. Anona squamosa L, Anona reticulata L, by Col. Fernando Leal. (3) on some new species of Silver-Pheasants from Burma by Eugene W Oates. (4) Samber Horns by J D Inverarity. (5) On the Tenthredinidæ and Parasitic Hymenoptera collected in Baluchistan by Major C G Nurse by P Cameron. (6) What is a Species by L G H Young, B A., F Z S., &c. (7) Notes and observations on Mammals collected and observed in the Darjeeling District, India by Gordon Dalgliesh. (8) The "Pectinate Organs" of Trapa bispinosa, Roxb, (Water-chestnut), by Rev. E Blatter, S J. (9) Mangroves and Paroquets, by B B Osmaston, I F S. (10) Note on the Malay Tapir (Tapirus Indicus) in captivity, by Col. W R Ferris, (11) Poisonous Snakes of India and how to recognise them, by Capt. F Wall, I M S., C M Z S.,

ABKARI PROSECUTIONS.—Yesterday, at the Esplanade Police Court before Mr. Kersandas Chabildas, Third Presidency Magistrate, Inspector Sullivan prosecuted Rajabalii Hasanji, a Borah, residing in Borah Mohalla, for selling Cocaine and being in possession of the same, with sallocence from the Abkari Collector. Evidence of Mr. Kuverji Darasha, Divisional Abkari Inspector, showed that early yesterday morning they entrusted a man with several marked coins to buy cocaine of the accused, who sold him two packets, worth six annas. On a signal the accused's house was raided, and the search revealed sixteen more packets of cocaine concealed in his rooms and the marked coins on his person. The accused pleaded guilty to the charge. He was sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 200 with the alternative of six weeks' rigorous imprisonment. Under similar circumstances the Abkari Inspector had the house of Joosab Jacub in the 5th Coombharwada Lane raided. He had just disposed of six annas' worth of cocaine. Twenty-two more packets were found in his possession. He also pleaded guilty to the charge. He was sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 50 in default, six weeks' rigorous imprisonment.

THE CITY MORTALITY.

THE Municipal Office returns for the twenty-four hours ending at 6 a.m., yesterday, give the following results:—

Wards.	Plague Attacks.	Plague Deaths.	Deaths from all Causes
A Upper, Middle and Lower Colaba, Fort Northern, Fort Southern and Esplanade ...	1	1	6
B Mandvi, Chukla, Comerkhadi and Dongri.	4	4	22
C Market, Dhobi Talao, Fanaswady, Bhuleshwar, Khara Talao and Kumbharwada	0	0	25
D Khetwadi, Girgaum, Chowpati, Walkeshwar, and Mahalaxmi	0	0	4
E Mazagon, Tarwady, 2nd Nagpada, Kamatipura, Tardeo, Byculla and 1st Nagpada.....	0	0	18
F Parel, Sewree and Sion ...	1	0	17
G Mahim and Worli	2	1	12
Water Division	0	0	0
North-Resident and Unknown	0	0	0
Hospitals	0	3	13
Total.....	8	6	117
Total plague deaths to date ...	304,933		120,3021
Same date last year	59	45	159

SMALL-POX.

Attacks.	Deaths.
3	1

DIRECT STEAMER SERVICE TO E. BENGAL.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, JAN. 24.

A Resolution of the Bengal Government upon the administration of the Presidency Division, to-day published, states that it is proposed to open a steamer direct from Calcutta to Eastern Bengal. It adds that such an improvement though estimated to cost a crore of rupees, promises increased facilities offered to the trade of Calcutta to more than compensate the great expenditure.

ANOTHER SUIT FOR LIBEL.

THE SONA BAZAR MURDER ARTICLES.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, JAN. 24

A plaint was filed in the Calcutta High Court to-day on behalf of S. C. Albridge, Brajendra Nath Chatterjee and other officers of the Calcutta Police Force, claiming twenty thousand rupees damages from the Editor and Publishers of the "Indian Daily News" in connection with certain articles alleged to be defamatory which appeared upon the subject of the so-called Sona Bazar murder case.

ASSAM LABOUR COMMISSION.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, JAN. 25.

Captain Kennedy represents the Eastern Bengal and Assam Government, and Mr. C. H Bompas of the Bengal Government, upon Mr. Robertson's Commission to report upon the Labour question in Assam. There will also be two representatives of Indian tea industry.

DR. COOK AND THE CALCUTTA CORPORATION.

OFFICIAL BODY CONDEMNED.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, JAN. 24.

After a two-day discussion the Corporation of Calcutta have resolved by the narrow majority of one vote only, not to re-consider or rescind their resolution of the 13th of December last giving six months' notice to Dr. Cook, the Health Officer, or to appoint a special committee to enquire into and report on the allegations made against him. An appeal by the Chairman, Hon. Mr. Allen, to extend Dr. Cook's period of service for a year and, in the meantime to look about for a Health Officer of higher qualifications proved infructuous. The result therefore is that the six months' notice holds good. The "Englishman" says that in this matter, if not in others, the Municipal body is completely out of touch with public feeling.

A CARRIAGE ACCIDENT AT POONA.

A LADY'S LIFE SAVED BY A SOLDIER.

POONA, JAN. 24.

As Captain Thomas of the Gun Carriage Factory and Miss Thomas were driving home this evening from Lothian road, the horse took fright at a passing motor car and swerving round bolted down the street. In an attempt to pull up the horse the reins broke and the syce was pitched off his seat. The horse continued its wild career. Captain Thomas endeavoured to stop the horse and was climbing on the coach box, but he was thrown down heavily. The horse's flight was averted by a soldier of the East Lancashires passing on the road. Miss Thomas was screaming in the carriage, but luckily did not attempt to jump off. Captain Thomas' head was badly cut and was taken to the Sassoon Hospital where the wounds were dressed and he was sent home.

ARRIVAL OF THE YACHT EVONA.

THE British Yacht Evona, owned by Mr. H. J. Mason, under the command of Commander C. Jones, arrived in harbour yesterday from Dartmouth, which port she left on the 21st December, and called at Malta, Portsaid, and Aden en route. The Yacht, Evona, built at Clyde, (Glasgow), in 1897 for Mr. Menzeys, and in 1899 she was purchased by Mr. H. J. Mason, the present owner, who is on a Tour to Bombay, with Mrs. Mason, and their other guests being Miss Johnson, Mr. Blear, and Dr. Baily. Her dimensions are 196 feet in length, 23 feet in breadth and 13 feet depth. She is a fine little craft with one funnel and two masts, and anechored opposite the Apollo Bunder. Her owners probably will go on a tour to visit important places in India which will very likely to occupy about two months. During that period the Yacht will remain in Bombay and then leave for England.

CLERICAL DRESS AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

The Editor of the "Indian Church News" writes:—"Our appearance at Government House to meet Royalty has opened our eyes to one fact, viz, that the bands are a part of the proper dress of a Church of England priest. We have never seen these bands worn by a Church of England priest before this; but our readers may take it from us that these bands must now be worn by every clergyman in Lawn dress. A smile crossed our face at seeing an Anglican Catholic priest wearing Geneva bands, the outward symbol of a man's Zwinglianism! We said nothing; but like the sailor's immortal parrot, "we thought a heap." And while on the subject of dress, we should like some 'pronunciamento' anent medals. At the consecration of the Bishop of Chhota Nagpur we knelt opposite to a popular cricketer parson, who wore his Tirah medal on his surplice. Our good Archdeacon used to wear it on his cassock; but at the consecration of the King's Own's Colours, he wore it on his scarf. All three places cannot be right. If an Officer, or a Civilian has the privilege of wearing the Emperor's medal, you know where to look for it. Up to date, a Chaplain wears it where he pleases, even on the sacramental stole. It ought not to be left to the laity to demand that this irregularity shall stop. Perhaps the best thing would be to consult the Right Rev. the Chaplain General at the War Office.

THE GASPARD NEVA DUETTISTS.

AN appreciative, though not a large audience, assembled at the Novelty Theatre last night for this entertainment, when a varied programme of the Cafe Chantant type was gone through. The whole of the songs were, of course, in French, in the "vervey" style peculiar to the Parisian halls song, and the numerous ladies and gentlemen from La Belle France in the audience appeared to greatly enjoy the entertainment.

A GREAT CANAL SCHEME.

THE Zurich papers discuss at length a great scheme proposed by a Swiss engineer to unite Switzerland with the North Sea and the Mediterranean by two great canal systems. The first system would connect Lake Constance with Rotterdam by means of the Rhine, and the second would join Lake Come and the Mediterranean by means of the River Po. The cost of the two schemes is estimated at 324 million francs; but the engineer claims that he will be able to obtain a large quantity of water power which can be sold to factories and other users and thus greatly reduce the cost. He estimates that 1,500,000 horse-power can be obtained from the system north of the Alps, and 220,000 horse-power from the southern portion.

NEWS LATER THAN THE MAIL.

CANADIAN CATTLE EXPORT.

THE BRITISH RESTRICTION.

LONDON, JAN. 6.—Lord Carrington, formerly Governor of New South Wales, and now President of the Board of Agriculture, was yesterday waited upon by a deputation of traders in Canadian cattle, who asked that the restrictions upon the landing of cattle from the Dominion in England be removed. In reply Lord Carrington reiterated the views expressed by his predecessor, Mr. Ailwyn Fellowes, in May last, when a similar request was made and refused on the ground that the restrictions were necessary.

A FRENCH DUEL.

GENERAL V. MAJOR.

London, January 6.—A duel has occurred at Paris in connection with the quarrel between General Brugere and General Percin in November last. The combatants were General Percin and Major Driant, a son-in-law of the one-time famous General Boulanger, and the weapons used were small swords. The duel was unusually determined and protracted. It lasted 75 minutes, and was not, as is usual in France, stopped when one of the combatants was wounded. Major Driant was the victor in the eighth round of the contest; he wounded General Percin in the right forearm, and in the thirteenth round planted another thrust in the same spot. The surgeons in attendance then declared General Percin disabled, and the duel ended.

ANGLO-AUSTRALIAN MAIL SERVICE.

COMMITTEE BECOMES A ROYAL COMMISSION.

Melbourne, Jan. 7. The select committee of the House of Representatives, appointed to inquire into the carriage of mails, passengers, and cargo between the Commonwalth and the United Kingdom, will be converted into a Royal Commission at the next meeting of the Federal Executive Council. It is understood that the commission will be made returnable about the second week in April. Mr. Josiah Thomas (the chairman) stated yesterday that he thought it would be possible for the commission to complete its investigation by the time stated. He did not think it would be possible for all the members to travel with the commission to the several States they might decide to visit. It would be too much of a tax on their time, especially as the recess was the only opportunity. Many of them had to visit their constituencies. He understood that the quorum would be taken from four or three. The commission would resume the taking of evidence on the 16th inst. in Sydney. After that it would probably be necessary to go to Queensland, and it might also be deemed desirable to visit South Australia, Western Australia, and Tasmania.

REVOLUTION IN HAYTI.

THE PRESIDENT MORALES IMPEACHED.

London, Jan. 6.—The revolution in Hayti is ended. The President Morales, whose followers were defeated by the insurgents under General Caceres at Puerto Plate, has been impeached by the Haytian Legislature, but has escaped, and the fighting is now over.

ROZHDESTVENSKY'S TSU-SHIMA STORY.

London, Jan. 6.—The absurdity of Admiral Rozhdestvensky's story is further demonstrated, as there was no British squadron at or near Wei-hai-wei at the time. The only British warship there was a second-class cruiser, the rest of the squadron being away down on the southern coast of China, off Hongkong.

MEDICAL PRAISE FOR ZAM-BUK.

A MEDICAL STUDENT'S EXPERIENCE.

In India there are many including noble English nurses and local doctors who practically volunteer to fight sickness. Such an one is Mr. A.

TAKE UP YOUR PEN

and write to us for patterns of Pure Wool Material, stating what you require, and we will forward same per return post.

Pure Wool is the Enemy of Sickness.

If you realise that common sense wearing of Clothes means increased health and comfort, you will understand what a valuable commodity Pure Wool is.

There is nothing on earth equal to Pure Wool as a wearing material.

Wear it now and wear it always.

Patterns are free for the asking.

We make nothing but Pure Wool.

ADDRESS, MANAGER,

DEPT., "E.,"

THE NEW EGERTON WOOLLEN MILLS CO., LD.,

DHARIWAL, PUNJAB.

KING, KING & Co.,

BOMBAY.

KING, HAMILTON & Co.,

CALCUTTA.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened free of charge for Commission, and Interest at 2 per cent. per annum credited on 30th June and 31st December, when the minimum balance does not fall below Rs. 500. Currency Notes of all Circles and Demand Hundies payable in Bombay received without charge.

FIXED DEPOSITS received, subject to six and twelve months' notice of withdrawal at rates which can be ascertained on application.

REMITTANCES TO THE UNITED KINGDOM, Demand and Telegraphic, made at the current rates of Exchange, and addresses in connection with the latter registered Free of Charge through Messrs. HENRY S. KING & CO., 65, Cornhill, London.

LONDON:

HENRY S. KING & CO.

BLUTHNER'S

PIANOS ARE IDEAL

PIANOFORTES.

THE BLUTHNER PIANOFORTES must not be classed with the productions by makers who are keen in the battle-royal of competition as to who could produce an inferior Piano at the smallest possible cost. Mr. JULIUS BLUTHNER has secured the World's Highest honours by dint of energy and determination to perfect his productions and to construct Musical Instruments in accordance with the most approved modern standards and requirements worthy of the name of Pianofortes and to sell them at a moderate price which, compared with public waste of money on worthless articles, is not an excessive sum. The Bluthner Pianofortes are the only Instruments which will help to radically change one's whole life in the matter of Music in a few days. The mysterious secret of their wonderful success and their wonderful influence on Musical people is their marvellous Brilliancy, Sweetness and sympathy in Tone. The actions of the Bluthner Pianofortes being soft, easy and uniform, have the effect of rousing the pupil and the musician from careless interest to the highest possible attainment which natural ability warrants. They are the only Pianos, specially built for India, possessing soulful music in every string. All musicians regard the time when they started using a Bluthner Pianoforte as the best days of their lives.

SOLE AGENTS,

MARCKS & CO., LTD.,

BOMBAY AND POONA.

A BOON TO SUFFERING HUMANITY.

SURGERY SUPERSEDED.

HYDROCELE in any form, RUPTURE, HERNIA, ELEPHANTASIS, and all sorts of Rectum and Scrotum diseases, are cured thoroughly by vegetable oils and Pills—price Rs. 13-8-0 for 20 days' treatment. Bleeding and Blind Piles, FISTULA, and all inflammatory complaints of the rectum, causing irritation and burning are cured without the least pain—price Rs. 5-8 for Ointment and Pills for 15 days. FATTY OR WINDY BODY, the undue increase of belly and abdomen, waist, loin and all the other parts of the body of both male and female causing weakness and depression. Patients do not find rest under such condition and feel miserable. They can, to their surprise, find reduction in their size from 4 to 6 inches after 15 days' application of oil. Price of oil for 15 days, Rs. 5-8. SPERMATORRHŒA, STERILITY, and other obstinate diseases of uterus are permanently cured, no matter how old the patient or disease may be—price of Pills for 15 days, Rs. 5-8. LEPROSY, Black and White and BLOOD DISORDERS are cured by a well tried and infallible remedy, consisting of pills and ointment, which will give vigour to body and purity to blood, price for 25 days treatment, Rs. 10. DIABETES, and complaints akin thereto, are entirely cured by harmless vegetable pills. Pills for 20 days, Rs 5-8.

BILIOUS COMPLAINTS, DYSPEPSIA, heating sensation in the throat and chest, giddiness, vomiting, thirst, hiccough are safely relieved and appetite restored, price of pills for 20 days, Rs 4-8. All NASAL COMPLAINTS, Watery blood of pus discharges from the nose, causing obstruction to breathing are perfectly cured by an effective smelling powder.

N.B.—The Medicines are free from mercury or any kind of injurious drugs. Upcountry patients are requested to state clearly their age, disease and duration of the same for my guidance. Apply to Dr. V. BALKRISHNA NARAYAN JOSHI, of Benares Pardoo Bridge near Tram Terminus, Modiwala's Chawl Ground Floor, Tardeo, Bombay.

THE BOMBAY ELECTRIC Co.,

ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS AND CONTRACTORS.

STOCK & SHOW ROOMS.

9-11, MEDOWS STREET,

BOMBAY.

THE INVINCIBLE WOLSELEYS

Again to the FRONT IN THE BOMBAY MAHABLESHWAR TRIALS.

Still Retaining THE WORLD'S RECORD FOR RELIABILITY.

K. & S. CYCLE AND MOTOR CO.

F. & C. OSLER,

ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS

BOMBAY,

AND AT

CALCUTTA, LONDON, BIRMINGHAM,

UNDERTAKE ELECTRIC INSTALLATIONS in all parts of India, for Towns, Palaces, Darbar Halls, Temples, Hospitals, Bungalows Complete with the Highest class plant and Materials, under Expert European Engineers.

ESTIMATES FREE.

ERARD PIANOS.

S. ROSE & Co., Fort, BOMBAY.

KNAKE PIANOS.

S. ROSE & Co., Fort, BOMBAY.

STEINWAY PIANOS.

S. ROSE & Co., Fort, BOMBAY.

BROADWOOD PIANOS

S. ROSE & Co., Fort, BOMBAY.

BRINSMEAD PIANOS.

S. ROSE & Co., Fort, BOMBAY.

COLLARD PIANOS.

First Class PIANOS by the above world renounced Makers, Cost no more than cheap inferior imitations.

S. ROSE & Co.,

FORT, BOMBAY.

BREEK'S MEMORIAL SCHOOL, OOTACAMUND, NILGHIRI HILLS, SOUTH INDIA.

THE ABOVE SCHOOL, in the healthiest hill station of South India, comes under Government Management and will begin work as a High Class School for Europeans only, from 1st March, 1906. S. A. STEELE, Esq. B.A. (Cantab) formerly First Master of the Park School, Simla, and lately private tutor with H. E. the Governor of Madras has been appointed Headmaster, and will manage the boarding establishment.

A prospectus will be sent on application to the above gentleman at

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, MADRAS.

NOTICE.

SUBSCRIBERS who have hitherto been SUPPLIED with the "BOMBAY GAZETTE" through the Cosmopolitan Library can obtain it by applying to Messrs. VINCENT & CO., 19, Hornby Road, 3rd Floor, Fort or the "BOMBAY GAZETTE" Head Office.

COX & CO.

BANKERS AND AGENTS.

HORNBY ROAD, BOMBAY.

BANKING BUSINESS of every description transacted.

CURRENT and FIXED DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS opened free of charge, and interest allowed thereon. Terms may be ascertained on application.

LETTERS OF CREDIT and CIRCULAR NOTES issued.

TELEGRAPHIC REMITTANCES made, and addresses registered with London Office free of charge.

PASSAGES ENGAGED and best available berths secured to all parts of the world free of charge of commission.

PASSENGERS met on arrival and

BAGGAGE received for shipment and clearance.

INSURANCES of every description effected.

List of representatives and correspondents and all information in connection with Agency business furnished on application.

HEAD OFFICE:

16, CHARING CROSS, LONDON.

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

*** All communications intended for publication in our columns must be addressed to THE EDITOR and not to any individual member of the staff.

The Bombay Gazette

THURSDAY, JAN. 25, 1906.

THE NATIVE STATES.

MR. F. LORAINE PETRE, who retired from the Indian Civil Service six years ago, after serving in the North-West Provinces and Central India, still takes a lively interest in this country and is striving to educate people at Home on subjects concerning the land we live in. In a current magazine he discusses the "Indian Feudatory States and the Paramount Power." He holds that a series of far-seeing Viceroys, with ever-increasing zeal, have sought to lead the Chiefs in the direction of government based on modern ideas, without forcing on them the rigidity of Western theories of finance and administration repugnant to the Princes and out of harmony with the ancient traditions of their predecessors and their subjects. Moreover, whilst maintaining clearly that the Chiefs are not independent sovereigns, free to give or withhold their alliance, it has been sought more and more to impress upon them that their position is that of honoured coadjutors in the work of Empire, having almost as large a stake in the maintenance of a strong and peaceful paramount Power as we ourselves have. Mr. Petre does not deny that the attitude of Government's agents towards Chiefs, to whose courts they were accredited, in years gone by, but so recently as the time of the Prince of Wales's visit in 1876, was not all that could be desired, but he assures his readers that "the so-called Political Service has been much improved of late years and that appointments, which formerly were often due to interest and patronage, are now invariably bestowed only on officers of tried capacity and tact." That is undoubtedly the case and the consequence is increased goodwill and improved administration. But we are not prepared to say that all friction has ceased or that here and there a Chief, within recent days, has not had reason to complain of such excessive zeal on the part of "politicals" as to cause those Chiefs to suffer in dignity and prestige even among their own people. Fortunately, such cases are rare, as the remedy is difficult to obtain as well as to apply, and in a struggle the Chief might go to the wall. But generally speaking political officers are to-day vastly in advance of their predecessors. So are the Chiefs, with the happy results all round.

In the course of his observations, Mr. Petre touches upon the delicate ground of Native Chiefs and State functions and remarks that in the present tour our Royal visitors devote between one-fourth and one-third of their whole time in this country to the Feudatory Princes. A still larger proportion would have been given but for the unfortunate prevalence of drought, necessitating the curtailment of the tour in States which must devote their surplus revenues to the relief of their afflicted subjects and can ill afford the heavy expenditure inseparable from the reception of the Heir Apparent in a manner worthy of his dignity and that of his hosts. Even as it is, however, some of the Native States have been hard put to, since the accession of the reigning Sovereign, in connection with his Coronation, the great Durbar and the present visit. This will be the more readily understood when it is borne in mind that they have had to deal with the effects of plague and famine and have been compelled to apply to the Government of India for financial assistance. But they could not have avoided the expenditure on these functions even if they would, notwithstanding all that Mr. Petre says of the desire of the paramount Power to interfere as little as possible with the freedom and independence of ruling Chiefs. Still the policy of open annexation of native territory within the frontiers of India has ceased and the British Government must be credited with the free grant to the Chiefs of the right of adoption of a successor, a concession on which the most liberal interpretation has been generally put, and which goes far to prevent lapses of States for want of a direct heir, and "it is only in the event of failure to exercise this power, on the part of a childless Chief, that the onus of finding a successor falls on the British Government." It is rightly asserted that this is a burden which the British Government neither seeks nor desires to bear. It much prefers to see the succession determined by birth, or failing that, by the decision of the Chief himself. There is no desire that the government of a State shall lapse or shall be transferred to the paramount Power, whatever impression may have been created by the recent events in, say, Berar.

Notwithstanding recent instances of interference which may not have met with universal approval, we must endorse Mr. Petre's contention, that annexation, on any conceivable ground, is entirely foreign to modern British policy, as has been borne in upon the States by numerous object lessons since the transfer of the administration from the East India Company to the Crown. The instances of Baroda, Jhallawar and Manipur are quoted, and it is asserted that none of the Chiefs have now any fear of the transfer of their territory to direct British rule, not even the conquest of Burma and deposition of King Thebaw weakening that sense of security. On some points, perhaps that of the Imperial Cadet Corps, Mr. Petre does well to abstain from painting the picture of too roseate a hue. But he is justified in paying tribute to the genuine interest of the Chiefs in connection with the Imperial Service troops, as shown by their willingness to subordinate their own natural inclinations to the general good, in respect of the class of corps to be furnished. The combatant arms, a smart infantry or cavalry regiment, or a battery of artillery, appeal to the descendants of the fighting clans; yet these very men are willing to convert their cavalry into camel corps, or their artillery into transport trains, when the Viceroy decides that this is the line in which they can render most useful service. It is not sought to deny that there are here and those old fashioned princes and corrupt ministers to be found, especially, in the smaller States. We could lay our hands on half a dozen of them just as easily as we could point out unprincipled men who have attempted to exploit them to serve their own purposes. Yet it cannot be gainsaid that the Chiefs of to-day are, generally speaking, a great improvement on their predecessors, both as men and as rulers. In Mr. Petre's words "Many of them have been more or less successfully trained, during their minority, in the art of government by methods which, though not inconsistent with the best traditions of their predecessors and their people, are yet tinged with Western ideas of civilisation and humanity which found no place in the systems of the first half of last century." Some of them would have deepened that tinge had they been permitted, but young Chiefs have not, of late, been greatly encouraged to make the sojourn in England without which the acquisition of Western ideas is impossible.

THE PHILIPPINES. Persistent rumours in New York say that the new American Ambassador to Japan is empowered to discuss the sale of the Philippines to Japan, America regretting the costly and burdensome acquisition. The latter part of the telegram is true, even if the former be not. The United States Government does regret the acquisition of the Philippine islands, which has proved both costly and burdensome. Their sale to Japan is another matter. The States has learnt a wholesome lesson which will perhaps prevent her statesmen hereafter putting their fingers in another man's pie. We have absolutely no sympathy for them. They had not so much excuse for interfering in Spain's dealing with her refractory possessions as Germany for endeavouring to intervene between us and the Boer republics. But they did it and caught a Tartar. Whether they will sell their acquisition or be permitted to sell it to Japan is doubtful. If American statesmen wish to do the right thing they will restore it to the rightful owner, Spain. We do not suppose that any objection will be raised by Great Britain to the islands being handed over to her ally. But other European Powers interested in that part of the world may have very strong and very serious objection. The United States Government cannot be unaware of this; but probably it imagines France and Germany are too much absorbed by affairs in Morocco to manifest any deep concern as to the future of the Philippines.

BOER DISAFFECTION. THE assurance of a Liberal Administration being in power for some time to come has encouraged Boer irreconcilables to speak plainly—rather too plainly. Reuter tells us the ex-President Steyn, an individual who has been treated with too great leniency, has been preaching disaffection at Dewetsdorp and that ex-Generals Wessels and Hertzog have been assisting him. But do what they will, "foreign" ways will prevail in South Africa and people will find them pay best, though they may appear to agree with Mr. Steyn in his view of things, therefore they will adopt them. The rising generation will "shout with the biggest crowd" and no one will condemn them; particularly as the mothers will, unurged, teach their children the story of the Concentration Camps which were, with all their shortcomings,—real and imaginary—a remarkable illustration of the magnanimity with which Great Britain treats her vanquished enemies. When the Boers have warred with their neighbouring tribes they have not troubled to provide for the wives and children of their antagonists, nor have they re-instated them in their farms or holdings. And the Boer women will remember this also. They will also point out the benefits they have reaped as the result of the British occupation. We need have no fear of the Boer mothers. Their teaching will counteract the teachings of Messrs. Steyn and Wessels and Hertzog.

NEW JAPANESE FLEETS. THE "Tokoku Nippoo" gives some details on the composition of the naval squadron to be permanently stationed in the Sea of Japan. It will be entirely different from the squadron maintained in those waters previous to the war and will consist entirely of first and second class cruisers. The vessels selected for this home defence fleet are the Asama, Tokiwa, Izumo, Iwate, Kasuga, Nishin, Kasagi, Chitose, Niitaka, Otowa and some others. Their task will be to inspect the channels near the islands of Saghalin and the fishing grounds there, and to protect merchantmen and fishing vessels. "As a result of her numerous victories," "Japan will have many interests to safeguard in the Southern Seas. Her Government will consequently be obliged to create a new Japanese naval division charged with the inspection of the Southern Coast of China and the neighbouring islands. Moreover, it is part of the same project that Japanese vessels should cruise in the seas of Oceania, so that the Nippon flag will always be flying in the waters beyond Singapore."

SIR FRANCIS MACLEAN is likely to proceed on leave this spring.

MR. H. WOOD, Secretary of the East Indian Railway, has two months' extension of service.

IN the Tipperah Raj succession case in the Alipore Court, at Calcutta, judgment has been reserved.

M. A. V KNYVETT officiates as Inspector-General of Police in Bengal vice Mr. Stevenson Moore proceeding from leave.

THE statement of traffic of the Ahmedabad-Prantej Railway, for the week ending 2nd December, amounted to Rs. 3,974 being an increase on the corresponding week of last year of Rs. 213. Total earnings from 1st July to 2nd December were Rs. 66,204, being an increase on the corresponding period of last year of Rs. 6,743.

THE statement of traffic of the Tapti-Valley Railway, for the week ending 2nd December, amounted to Rs. 25,724 being an increase on the corresponding week of last year of Rs. 12,065. Total earnings from 1st July to 2nd December were Rs. 3,00,183, being an increase on the corresponding period of last year of Rs. 110,852.

THE statement of traffic of the Ahmedabad-Dholka Railway, for the week ending 2nd December amounted to Rs. 1,496, being a decrease on the corresponding week of last year of Rs. 472. Total earnings from 1st July to 2nd December were Rs. 33,292, being a decrease on the corresponding period of last year of Rs. 4,937.

OUR Bhownagar correspondent writes:—His Highness the Maharaja is still at Kundla after a panther which has disappeared after having been once noticed. He has killed three panthers in the season. Cereal crops have turned out very poor this time in Bhownagar districts. The reconstruction of the palace of the Limbdi Thakore Saheb has been taken in hand. The debris are being removed and hope is entertained that much of the golden ornaments will be recovered melted. A garden party was recently given in Bhownagar, in honour of Colonel Kennedy, the Agent to the Governor of Bombay, for Kathiawar, who will shortly retire.

THE expediency of fresh inquiry into the relations of landlord and tenant in Bengal, finds some justification in the recent report of the Lower Provinces Land Revenue Department, which contains certain strong observations on the oppression to which tenants are subjected. It is said that the levy of illegal zamindary cesses still prevails to a regretable extent, and that inability to resist the authority of the landlord prevents the tenants from availing themselves of the protection afforded by the law. They find it cheaper to pay for the goodwill of their landlord than to resist the illegal demand and suffer innumerable petty annoyances at his hands and those of his retainers.

A COLLECTION of the heads and horns of practically every variety of big game to be found in Northern Rhodesia, has just been added to the British South Africa Company's Museum in London.

H. H. PRINCESS LOUISE, accompanied by Miss Diana Crofton, the Hon. Alex. Yorke and Sir Allan Perry, who have been spending some time in Ceylon, sailed for Rangoon on the 18th instant.

A CLASS is about to be formed in Sibpur College, says the "Indian Church News," to give a real scientific training to motor chauffeurs and mistris. Heads of Industrial Schools throughout India, had better keep their eyes on their best boys, and train them for the next few months so that they can start fair at the work. Every boy will have to work hard, and work intelligently in the foundry for six months before he is allowed to join the Motor class. And he will not be given the Sibpur diploma unless he merits it.

THE Paris correspondent of the "Times" wrote on December 31:—Under the title of "Paroles de Roi" the "Matin" gives great prominence to certain statements said to have been made by King Edward in a recent conversation with "a French statesman" on a flying visit to London. Although it is easy to recognise the French statesman in question, I prefer to be as discreet as the "Matin" itself, and not to name him. The following is a literal translation of the remarks attributed to the King: "I have reason to believe that, whatever may have been the impression on the Continent, no nation has in reality contemplated disturbing the peace of Europe, and I am certain that none of them thinks of breaking it at this moment. The new Ministry and its chief, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, are animated by the most sincerely pacific intentions. As to the relations between France and England, nothing will be changed. All the members of the Government are firm friends of France, and Sir Edward Grey, the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, in particular is a loyal and convinced partisan of the "entente cordiale." Under the previous Cabinet, England sought a "rapprochement" with the Russian Empire. The present Cabinet intends to continue, and to increase that "rapprochement" as much as possible in such a way as completely to dissipate all causes of misunderstanding and all conflict of interests between the two countries." The "Matin" adds:—"It is impossible to avoid observing that the language used last week by the King of England has this decided advantage over the words recently attributed to William II., that it is in perfect harmony with the conduct of the English Government."

SIR JAMES WILLIAMSON, C. B., has issued the following notices, dated Dec. 30, on relinquishing the post of Director of Dockyards:—"To the past and present members of the Admiralty staff of the Director of Dockyards,—As the holidays may prevent my seeing the individual members of my staff on relinquishing my post of director of dockyards to-morrow, I take these means of saying to one and all how deeply I appreciate the valuable assistance I have invariably received from every member of my staff past and present, of thanking them for their efforts to assist me to make the branch efficient, and of wishing them every success in their future sphere of usefulness. On my retirement a new order of procedure is to be instituted. I need scarcely assure you how sincerely I hope it will result in even greater efficiency in the future. Of this I feel certain, that no efforts will be spared by my able successor and his staff to realise this expectation. I shall ever look back with pleasant recollection over the long period during which I have held the position, and, in saying good-bye, I cherish the hope that I may be spared to see the high standard of duty by which you are animated meet with its full reward." The following is the circular which has been issued to the superintendents, royal dockyards:—"On vacating the post of Director of his Majesty's Dockyards, I desire to take this opportunity of saying to you, and through you, to the dockyard officers, how very much I appreciate the valuable assistance I have received from you and them in the performance of my official duties. It is generally admitted that a good deal has been done in the past to improve the efficiency of the royal dockyards. By the new procedure it is sought to establish a still higher standard of efficiency and an improved method of transacting business. The success or otherwise of this scheme rests entirely with the respective managers of departments, under the general directions of the superintendents, and no one will watch with keener interest than I the working of this new scheme, with sincere good wishes for its complete success."

THE death occurred on Friday morning last, at the General Hospital, Colombo, of Mr. Francis Balkwill, of the firm of Messrs. Molchanoff Patchakanoff and Co., and a member of the recent cricket team which visited Madras. His death is attributed to hæmorrhagic measles. This is said to be the first case that has occurred in Ceylon and it was probably contracted on the recent tour. Mr. Balkwill was an all-round athlete and was a splendid three quarter at Rugby football. He was very popular and his untimely death at the age of 29, is greatly regretted. The funeral took place on Friday afternoon, and was largely attended. As a mark of respect the firm with which he was connected was closed, the Prince's Club dance arranged for that night was cancelled and the Colombo C. C. matches, which were arranged for that day and Saturday afternoon, were abandoned.

THE HORSES OF THE EMPIRE.

THE question is again suggested as to whether the various breeds of horses belonging to the Empire have progressed as they should have done. The number of breeds has not to a great extent diminished, but still some loss in that direction has occured in the space of half a century. The packhorse of Devonshire, Somersetshire, and Cornwall is now to all intents and purposes extinct. Then, again, where is the match trotter of the thirties and forties? The Derbyshire and Lincolnshire black horse, if to be traced at all, is merged only into the composition of the shire. These losses can well be reckoned as serious, when the elements of such animals are duly considered, as the packhorse was everything at one time—hack, hunter, trapper, and perhaps the very gamest of all next to the thoroughbred. Stallions were advertised some sixty years ago to trot sixteen miles an hour on a King's highway, and in the same period to run a four-mile steeplechase over a stiff banking course—they tell you in South Devon now that the last of the sort straining to the old Cottagers was a horse called Safeguard, and that a gentleman from Australia took him to the Souther. Cross late in the seventies. Then the old black horse of the counties, had not been the reputation of blending certain qualities with the thoroughbred to make up what some people considered the weight-carrying hunter? But to have done with the losses, for, perhaps, the science of breeding has improved, or one may say, is still improving the vast majority of our breeds. The various kinds are very numerous, more than any other nation can boast of the thoroughbred, the hunter, the shire, the Clydesdale, the Suffolk, the Cleveland, the Yorkshire coach horse, the hackney, the polo pony, the Dartmoor ponies, the Exmoors, the Welsh, the New Forest, the Connemara, the Fell, the Scotch crofters' ponies, and the Shetlands, to say nothing of the efforts made in the Colonies to raise comparatively new breeds, such as the Australian racehorse, the whaler, the Indian Arab, the Burmah and other hill ponies, and the Basutoes of South Africa.

In allowing, though, that the material is immense for carrying out culture, improvement, and experiment, are all the practices and customs of the times of advantage to the Empire on the score of wealth to her people and safety from her enemies? To begin with the thoroughbred, there has been a great increase in his value, but it does not appear that the excess in that direction benefits the State at all, as the latest Board of Trade returns show a reduction of both exports and imports in regard to numbers, but then the exports show a steady increase in respect to values. This is the position of horses generally, but the twentieth volume of the Stud Book points to it much more plainly as pertaining to the thoroughbred. Within the last two years, through death contingencies, several very large studs have been broken up, the most notable being those of Sir Blundell Maple and Colonel Harry McCalmont. The stallions and mares of this establishments were very valuable as the properties of exceptionally wealthy men, who spared nothing in their efforts to procure the best. The sales that necessarily followed resulted in nearly all the mares of note being bought for France, Germany, and America, and they were of no advantage to the country at all, excepting, perhaps, to enlarge the death duties. The stallions for the most part certainly escaped this general depletion of our national resources, but on occasions that both preceded and followed these great sales, the facts were very plain that the Empire lost a vast amount of treasured blood through the purchase of sires by foreigners. Within the last six years three Derby winners have left England—Flying Fox, Ard Patrick, and now Diamond Jubilee—whilst a fourth just preceded them in Galtee More. The prices they sold for represented the enormous sums of 21,000gs, 37,500gs, 21,000gs, and 30,000gs. No one can complain in regard to these apparently extravagant sales, as one was occasioned through the decease of the Duke of Westminster, two others through the ill-health of Mr. John Gubbins, and the latest through our gracious Majesty the King being over-blessed with equine riches, as there could be no use for three own brothers of seemingly equal merit. The pity is, perhaps, that some of his wealthy subjects did not relieve the King of this necessity, to part with a portion of his treasures to the foreigner, and so have kept the noble breed in its fullest entirety in the land that produced it.

There has been a case during the past year in which the gold of the stranger has been eclipsed by that of the British subject, as Mr. William Bass was enabled to buy Cyllene for 30,000gs, after becoming the possessor of the peerless Sceptre for 21,000gs, but very few others at all approaching the above two in class have escaped the fate of exportation. Darley Dale, an Eclipse Stakes winner, Childwick, Scintillant, Balsarroch, all Cesarewitch winners, Bay Ronald, The Rush, Piety, and many more, have been taken in the last, three years, and, in fact, the twentieth, and last, volume of the Stud Book gives a larger list of horses exported to foreign countries, than any of those that have preceded it. One of the latest high-priced French purchases may give rise to some reflection, as the remark is constanly made that breeding bloodstock does not pay, and that the only royal road to success is to give large sums for the initial breeding stock. Delanny realised 7,500gs, the largest price at the Newmarket, December Sales, and yet his dam, The Pet, only cost 10 guineas at auction, and his sire, Fortunio, also purchased by Delanny's breeder, was a most inexpensive acquisition. Less than £100 bought the two, but this is all to the credit of Mr. E. Kennedy, the gentleman who possessed himself of these valuable animals, as he showed much more judgment than other people, and rescued a really good horse in Fortunio. It shows, though that the fortunes in horses need not be confined entirely to the men of wealth. Another point is that the French have wonderfully changed in the last five-and-twenty years, as in former times none but the greatest stayers were even looked at by our allies across the Channel, and now a good miler, talked of by the cognoscenti as brilliant is doing eight furlongs, but no more, makes nearly twice as much as the Flying Dutchman was bought for, and more than twice the money given for West Australian. This may be very well for an increase in trade, and to give advantages to breeders in having a market for all kinds of goods; but whether it will benefit the general breed of horses either in England or France may be open to doubt. However, the great prices given for thoroughbred horses shows that England is still the attractive centre for such produce, and her people should see this still more clearly than they do, and profit thereby.

Turning to other sorts of horses than the thoroughbred, the country never looked richer than at present in regard to that useful breed, the shire. They have risen to a degree of perfection that is almost marvellous, and the improvement has been brought about in little over thirty years. There were shires, certainly, before that time, but they might have dwindled away through apathy, just as the pack horses and the black horses have done. The Shire Horse Society, originated by Sir Walter Gilbey, has made the breed a power in the land, and throughout every quarter of the kingdom there is a silver lining in the prospects of agriculture, if one may use the term, as the shire is now a known valuable product. From his earliest days he is a banknote, and the only fear is that the movement may be overdone. The supply may overreach the demand in these days of diminished work for the heavy draught horse through the motor appliances to trolly and wagon. The requirement is then to spread the usefulness of the shire. Open up a market in the Colonies, and induce new countries like Japan to believe in the shire as the ground work in the establishment of a breed of horses. It can be all done with the thoroughbred and the shire, but England can boast of other breeds as well. In North Britain there are breeders who declare for the Clydesdale in preference to the shire. It was not very long ago that the present writer made some observations on some pictures on the walls of a dining-room, and his noble host said "Yes, those are Clydesdales. Do not make any mistake. They are the gentlemen of the cart-horse breeds." There is then the Suffolk, also very much improved of late years, and the Cleveland, and Yorkshire coach-horses can only be complained about because of their paucity of numbers. Their quality is splendid, and if they were exclusively used for the state and fashionable carriages the trade in them would be great, to the benefit of the Yorkshire farmer.

(Concluded on page 7.)

THE GENERAL ELECTION.

PROMISES vs. REALITY.

TAXATION AND THE IRISH QUESTION.

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

LONDON, JAN. 23, 3-35 P.M.

The Election returns so far show that 286 Liberals, 35 Labourites, 79 Nationalists and 121 Unionists have been elected.

Mr. Austen Chamberlain at East Worcestershire (King's Norton) polled 10,129 against Mr. Morgan the Liberal Candidate, who polled 5,763.

LONDON, JAN. 24.

Mr. Asquith addressing a meeting at King's Barns last night said that anxious as he was to reduce expenditure he saw little hope of doing so in the current year.

Mr. Haldane speaking at Berwick emphatically declared that no compact or understanding existed between the Government and the Irish leaders for the establishment of a statutary Parliament or for introducing a Bill for the same.

LONDON, JAN. 23, 3-35 P.M.

Liberals Elected.

Mr. Barlow, Somersetshire (Frome).
Mr. Price, East Norfolk (North Walsham).
Mr. Morrell, E. Oxfordshire (Henley).
Sir R. Hobart, Hampshire (New Forest).
Mr. Robartes, S..E. Cornwall (Bodmin).
Mr. Whitehead, S. E. Essex (Tilbury).
Mr. McKenna, N. Monmouthshire (Abergavenny)
Mr. Barrett, Liberal, has been elected for Mid Devonshire (Torquay.)
Colonel Gardner, Liberal, has been elected for S. Herefordshire (Ross.)

Unionists Elected.

Sir H. M. Thompson, S. W. Staffordshire (Handsworth).
Mr. Cave, N. Surrey (Kingston).
Mr. Hunt, S. Shropshire (Ludlow).
Sir H. Fletcher, Unionist, has been elected for Mid Sussex (Lewes.)
Mr. O'Neill, Unionist, has been elected for Mid Antrim.

LONDON, JAN. 23, 8-5 p. m.

Liberals	289
Labours	35
Unionists	122
Nationalists	79

Liberal gains 151, Labour 29, Unionists nine and Nationalists two.

Liberals Elected.

Mr. Bolton, N. E. Derbyshire (Eckington.)
Mr. Lever, N. E. Essex (Harwich).
Mr. Phillips, Pembrokeshire.
Mr. Stanley, Unionist, has been elected for S. W. Lancashire (Ormskirk.)

LONDON, JAN. 24, 5-30 A. M.

The latest returns are as follows :—

Liberals	294
Labour	36
Unionists	123

Liberal gains 153, Labour 30 and Unionist 10.

Liberals Elected.

Mr. Alden, Middlesex (Tottenham.)
Mr. Holden, S. E. Lancashire (Heywood.)
Mr. Ellis, S. Nottinghamshire (Rusholiffe.)
Mr. Caldwell, Mid Lanarkshire.
Mr. Levy, Mid Leicestershire (Loughborough.)

Labour Candidate Elected.

Mr. Seddon, S. W. Lancashire (Newton).

Unionist Candidate Elected.

Mr. Thomson Mitchell, N. W. Lancashire.

THE EX-PREMIER AT ARDWICK.

AN ANTAGONISTIC AUDIENCE.

LONDON, January 6th.—Mr. Balfour, the ex-Premier, at a meeting of his constituents held last night at Ardwick, a suburb of Manchester, spoke with great difficulty, in the face of a constant fire of interruptions and disorderly noises.

He expressed the hope that the section of the audience responsible for these tactics was not going to emulate the crowd which behaved with such discourtesy to Mr. Chamberlain recently at Derby. He proceeded to express the opinion that the present Government had not the slightest intention of abolishing Chinese labour on the Rand, and concluded by unfolding his retaliation policy.

At the close of his address a vote of confidence in Mr. Balfour was carried by a large majority.

JOHN BURNS ON THE RAMPAGE.

A REMARKABLE MINISTERIAL STATEMENT.

Mr. John Burns, President of the Local Government Board, advocates the abolition of the House of Lords and all hereditary authorities.

He describes Lord Milner, ex-High Commissioner in South Africa, and his successor, the Earl of Selborne, as the mere registrars of the decrees of sordid and pushful colonial capitalists. He opposes all coolie indentured and contract labour, and he advocates the legislative independence of Ireland in purely Irish affairs.

INDIAN ADMINISTRATION AND HOME RULE.

SPEECH BY MR. MORLEY.

Mr. John Morley, Secretary of State for India, speaking yesterday at Arbroath, in Forfarshire, said that the civil power in India must indisputably be supreme over the military.

Referring to Ireland, Mr. Morley declared that no reform machinery for the Irish Government would be found a permanently effective or successful substitute for the policy of an elected representative authority, with powers and functions defined by Parliament. He added, "That does not prevent me from co-operating with my colleagues for the attainment of more liberal reforms not incompatible with the larger policy."

A CLEVER COALITION.

London, January 6th.—The new Government is described as a clever coalition. It ignores the Progressive, but satisfies the late Government, the elder Statesmen, and the Teiyukai party.

UPWARDS of one crore of Rupees has been spent during the current financial year on the re-armament of Horse and Field Batteries in India. Thirty batteries will receive the new quick-firing gun, or one half of the whole establishment. With regard to the remaining batteries, it will be possible gradually to provide them with guns from the new factory now in working at Cossipore, while the carriages can be turned out at the Jubbulpore factory.

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

THE QUESTION OF THE CHINESE EMPEROR'S SUCCESSOR.

Conclave of Princes.

LONDON, JAN. 24,

The Dowager Empress of China has ordered all eligible Princes to be presented on New Year's day when she will select three or four from whom the Emperor's successor will eventually be nominated.

NEW JAPANESE MINISTTER FOR ST. PETERSBURG.

Formal Recognition.

Russia has approved the selection of Dr Motono, the present Japanese Minister in Paris, as Japanese Minister at St. Petereburg.

BOER DISAFFECTION.

LONDON, JAN. 23.

Ex-President Steyn, speaking at Dewetsdorp, at the reinterment of some burghers who had fallen in the war, urged the avoidance of foreign ways and appealed to mothers to teach their children the story the Concentration Camps.

General Wessels and Hertzog also harangued the assembly in the sames train.

THE LOSS OF THE BRAZILIAN WARSHIP.

Total Roll of Casualties.

Two hundred and twelve lives were lost in the sinking of the Aquidaban and 98 saved.

AMERICA AND THE PHILIPPINES.

Recurrent Rumours.

There are persistent rumours in New York that Mr. Wright, the new American Ambassador to Japan, is empowered to discuss at Tokio, the sale of the Philippines to Japan, America regretting the costly and burdensome acquisition.

AUSTRIA AND SERVIA.

A Tariff Object Demand.

An acute tariff war has begun between Austria and Servia and is causing great ill-feeling.

THE KING OF SPAIN'S ENGAGEMENT.

No Definite Announcement.

The engagement of King Alfonso to Princess Ena of Battenberg will be officially announced shortly.

FRANCE AND VENEZUELA.

An Unpacific Demonstration,

LONDON, JAN. 24, 5-30 A. M.

Three French cruisers have left Trinidad, it is believed for the purpose of blockading La Guayra.

RUSSIAN HIGHHANDEDNESS.

An Englishman Imprisoned.

The whole of the staff of the cotton mills at Yaroslav including the English manager, Mr. Davison were imprisoned by the Russian authorities on the 19th inst.

Mr. Davison is charged with possessing books of Liberal tendency.

Sir E. Grey has telegraphed to the British Embassy at St. Petersburg to intervene.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT AT POONA.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, JAN. 24.

One of the new engines, belonging to the Southern Mahratta Railway, came to grief early this morning, near the signal gate below the Band Bridge when driver Hopkins was steaming to Poona station to convey the passenger train to Hubli. The morning was foggy and either the driver failed to notice the gate look signal or the signalling was defective. The engine got on to the wrong rails and before the driver had time to pull, she was stranded against the embankment and off the rails buried nearly one foot in the ground and badly damaged. The Railway Officials quickly arrived on the spot and are making enquiries.

ANOTHER TIGER.

SUCCESSFUL HUNT NEAR MAHUVA.

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT.)

MAHUVA, JAN. 24.

Yesterday afternoon, His Highness, SirBhavsinhji, got intimation of a panther about 45 miles off from here. He started immediately and reached the spot a little before sunset. The tiger was driven out and before long came in view of His Highness. A shot from the right barrel wounded the beast badly and in her rage she struggled hard to escape and wounded the beaters. But a timely discharge from the left barrel wounded the beast mortally, the beast measured seven feet two inches.

THE DELHI-SAHARANPUR RAILWAY'S SHARES.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, JAN. 23.

Applications for shares in the Shahdara (Delhi) Saharanpur Light Railway Company, Ltd., were considerably in excess of the capital required, viz., fifteen lakhs and in allotting shares, the directors have only been able to allot about a third of the number applied for by the public and that only to applicants who applied for more than ten shares.

BIRTH OF A PRINCESS.

An Interesting Royal Baby : Princess Alexander's "First."

ENGLISH ROYALTIES AND THE EMPIRE.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, JAN. 24.

The Princess Alexander of Teck has been safely delivered of a daughter.

By ARLEY.

THE little Princess who has just made her appearance is the first child born to pretty Princess Alexander of Teck, the only daughter of the late Prince Leopold, youngest son of Queen Victoria. Princess Alexandra, who was born and resided all the days of her girlhood at Claremont, Esher, where, as Princess Alice of Albany, she was a universal favourite, was married at Windsor to Prince Alexander of Teck, one of the four handsome brothers of the Princess of Wales, on February 10th, 1904. The honeymoon was passed at Brocket Hall, the famous seat near Hatfield now rented by Lord Mount Stephen, in which three Prime Ministers have resided. After a brief tour abroad Prince and Princess Alexander of Teck returned to England, and took up their abode at the Royal Pavilion, Aldershot, where the Prince's Regiment, the 14th Hussars, was stationed. There Prince and Princess Alexander were the life and soul of the place.

For several months Prince and Princess Alexander continued to live at Aldershot, and when they left, it was to go into residence in Henry the Third's Tower, Windsor Castle, which the King had graciously placed at their disposal. The previous occupants of the Tower, (which makes a most charming and romantic residence,) had been the Prince's elder brother, His Serene Highness the Duke of Teck, and the Duchess of Teck, who was, of course, Lady Margaret Grosvenor, sister of the young Duke of Westminster. In Henry the Third's Tower was born at least one of the Duke of Teck's little daughters, and now another little Princess of Teck has come upon the scene to make childish music within these historic walls.

There are now no less than eleven little princes and princesses of the House of Teck amongest the Royal children of England—and all under the age of eleven. The new baby at Windsor has, curiously enough, arrived at a moment which finds England with scarcely any Royalties left to personally offer their congratulations to the happy parents. Princess Alexander's mother, the Duchess of Albany, is in England ; so are the King and Queen, the Princess Royal and the Duchess of Argyll. Almost all the other adult Royalties are away. The Princess's only brother, the Duke of Saxe-Coburg, is in Germany ; the Prince and Princess of Wales are in the East ; the Duke and Duchess of Connaught are in South Africa ; Prince Arthur of Connaught is aboard ship bound for Japan; Princess Louise of Schleswig-Holstein is in Ceylon ; Princess Margaret of Connaught, who married the son of the Crown Prince of Sweden, is in Scandinavia, and the King's daughter, Princess Maud, is now Queen of Norway, and is therefore abroad. Princess Henry of Battenberg is in the Isle of Weight ; Prince Alexander, her eldest son, is aboard his ship, the armoured cruiser Berwick ; Prince Leopold, his brother, is as usual during the winter, at Cairo. Not for many years have the Royal Family been so distributed about the Empire as at the moment of the arrival of the new baby.

THE PARTITION OF BENGAL.

MR. ASQUITH'S OPINION.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, JAN. 24.

An opinion upon the legality of the Bengal partition given by Mr. H. H. Asquith, member of present Liberal Government and Mr. G. E. A. Ross, a member of the English bar is published here. Four points are taken and in all of them Messrs. Asquith and Ross find that the action of the authorities has been entirely in order. They hold (1) that the proclamation bringing the partition into operation was lawfully issued and that it is the proper procedure to be adopted where it is sought to create a new Lieutenant Governorship with a local legislature ; (2) that the contention that the Governor General was not competent to further divide the Bengal division of the Presidency of Fort William and to create a new Lieutenant Governorship in respect of such divided portion, rests on a misconception of the Statute, the power to do, by executive act, what has been done in the present case being expressly conferred by Statute ; (3) that a Suit for a declaration that the Proclamation is inoperative and void would be dismissed on the ground that the plaintiff had no cause for action; and (4) that the present Jurisdiction of the Calcutta High Court over the districts transferred from the Bengal division of the Presidency of Fort William and incorporated in the New Province will not be in any way affected.

A LOYAL SWADESHI.

PROTEST OF THE CALCUTTA TRADES ASSOCIATION.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, JAN. 24.

At the annual dinner of the Calcutta Trades Association, last night, Sir Andrew Fraser, Lieutenant Governor af Bengal, in the course of a sympathetic speech, said he had seen it stated that Government did not take enough advantage of all the help the Trades Association could give it and that it often went to England for aid it could get from them. He believed that this was true and his advice to them was to hammer away until they got the attention they wanted. If they could produce articles as cheap and as good as those Government could get abroad, Government was behaving inexcusably in procuring them outside India. In their efforts was a true Swadeshi and, in the work which they had been set to do; he wanted to see full sympathy between the Government and the people Mr. E. B. Eden, Sir Arthur Fransbawe and Mr. W. T. Grice were others of the speakers.

CALCUTTA BOYCOTT DISTURBANCES.

EXEMPLARY PUNISHMENT FOR ROWDY STUDENTS.

(FROM SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, JAN. 24.

The Bhowanipore disturbance case was disposed of to-day in the Magistrate's Court, Alipore, when Surat Kumar Basa, a student of St. Xavier's College, was sentenced to one month's rigorous imprisonment and a fine of one hundred rupees for assaulting the police.

In the case of the two other students concerned the Magistrate took their youth into account and only fined them one hundred rupees each.

These sentences should have deterrent effect in preventing the recurrence of such disturbances in Calcutta in future.

THE ROYAL TOUR.

ARRIVAL IN MADRAS.

AN ENTHUSIASTIC RECEPTION.

FORTY-THOUSAND POOR FED.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, JAN. 24.

Their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales landed in Madras this afternoon, and had a striking reception. Vast crowds lined the roads and there was great gathering in the Reception Pavilion on the harbour. The Renown and her escort were able to anchor close to the landing place.

The Madras Corporation presented an address accompanied by a silver casket, the text of the address being as follows :—

"May it Please Your Royal Highnesses. On behalf of the City and Corporation of Madras, we, the undersigned Municipal Commissioners, beg to offer to Your Royal Highnesses our most hearty and loyal welcome. When, some four years ago, Your Royal Highness visited most of principal possessions of the British Empire, our disappointment that India was for the time excluded was perforce consoled with the hope that this country might some day be similarly favoured. That hope has, to-day, to our great good fortune, been fulfilled. We hail with joy Your Royal Highnesses' presence amongst us to-day, as one more of the many proofs of good-will felt by His Majesty the King-Emperor towards the people of this country.

"We beg Your Royal Highnesses to convey to His Most Gracious Majesty and to accept for yourselves the expression of our sincere devotion to the Throne, our attachment to the Royal Family and our grateful appreciation of the many blessings conferred on this country by the just, wise and merciful Rule, inaugurated by our late Queen-Empress Victoria of ever revered memory and continued by His Most Gracious Majesty our King-Emperor.

"Permit us to conclude this sincere expression of our loyalty with the earnest hope that Your Royal Highnesses may both be spared to enjoy many years of health and prosperity with true happiness to yourselves and with continued blessings to the many millions whom it may be your high destiny to command."

The Prince in reply said :—

"Gentlemen, I thank you for the hearty welcome which you offer to the Princess of Wales and myself. We have looked forward with much pleasure to visiting your old and historic city which I believe to be our oldest possession and oldest Municipality in British India, and I desire to express our deep appreciation of the generous efforts and carefully planned preparations which have been made for our reception by you and the citizens of Madras. We anticipate with interest the scenes which await us during the next few days, and we hope to use the opportunities which you and my friend Lord Ampthill, have given us for seeing your city and its people.

"I will not fail to communicate to the King-Emperor your loyal assurances. Though thirty years have passed since he was your guest, my dear father's recollections of Madras are still vivid and happy.

"Gentlemen, I again thank you for the affectionate terms in which you have greeted us to your city."

After the reception the Prince and Princess drove to Government House followed by a procession of Southern India Chiefs and Zemindars and Officials. The Maharaja of Travancore was absent through illness and the Zamorin of Calicut the Vali Raja of Palghat and Zemindars of Periakimedi and North Vallur had expressed their inability to attend. The crowds along the route were immense and brilliant, the School children forming great masses of bright colour.

To-night a State banquet has been held followed by a levee.

Nearly forty-thousand poor have been fed during the day in celebration of the Royal Visit.

LORD MINTO'S TOUR TO BEHAR.

THE VICEROY RECEIVES THE NEPAL REPRESENTATIVE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, JAN. 24.

H. E. the Viceroy will be accompanied on his tour to Behar by Lady Minto, the Ladies Eileen Ruby and Violet Elliot and his full staff. Some shooting will probably be arranged for the party.

The Viceroy received Colonel Bahadur Junge of Nepal accompanied by the Nepal Vakil at Government House this morning and granted an interview to Mr. B. M. Malabari in the afternoon.

RAILWAY AND TRADE.

EFFECT OF THE SHORTAGE OF WAGONS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, JAN. 24.

Two more letters addressed by the Indian Mining Association to the Railway Board, protesting against the shortness of the Railway Wagon supply are published.

The second of these letters, dated the 12th instant describes the present situation as critical adding, "many mills and other large consumers are working practically from hand to mouth, frequently with only a few hours supply in hand ; steamers are running on demurrage and trade generally is becoming paralysed."

THE RANGPORE CONSTABLES' CASE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, JAN. 24.

The "Indian Daily News" hears that the delay in the delivery of judgment in the Rangpore Special Constables' case is due to a difference of opinion between the Justices and adds "the matter will, we believe, be decided by the Chief Justice who will adjudicate upon the question and no further arguments will be heard."

SAD DEATH IN CALCUTTA.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, JAN. 24.

The body of Mrs. Helen Daniel, a European lady, of unsound mind here, has been found drowned in a cistern.

NOTES FROM PARIS.

New Year in Paris.

TEMPLE OF TASTE AND ART.

THE NEW ZEALAND MATCH.

PARIS, JAN. 5.

Now, the candidate the most "en vue" at this moment is Paul Doumer. This distinguished politician was received in London recently by King Edward. The journal, the "Matin," which gave us this information, prints an article purporting to reproduce the words of his Britannic Majesty to a French statesman, the evident intention being to connect them with M. Doumer's visit. His Majesty is represented as saying that the peace of Europe is not likely to be broken, and that the new British Cabinet is pledged to a whole-hearted allegiance to the Entente. Assuming that the words were actually spoken, they contribute an extremely valuable commentary on the situation, and may be said to enhance the chances of M. Doumer for the Presidency. Only one serious obstacle exists to M. Doumer's accession, and that is the threat of trouble with another Power. Should the pessimistic view prevail at the National Assembly, then a man of less independence of character and of an extreme prudence would doubtless be chochen. M. Fallieres, in some senses the official candidate, may well pray to be delivered from his friends. His chances were excellent until his cause was actively espoused by the "Petit Pere" Combes and that remarkable pair, MM. Pelletan and Andre. These two gods of war cut so strange a figure in office and were so mischievous to National defence, that the average Frenchman cannot but feel that much of his nervousness is due to their administrative capers.

The international situation remains charged with clouds not merely in respect of Germany but of Russia also. In the absence of definite information, and in the presence of much obvious exaggeration, the common man prefers to maintain a non-committal attitude. In the worst case, he believes there is enough money to pay his coupons until the country settles. Speaking generally, 1906 finds France better and stronger than she has been for years past. Her army is fitter than it has been since Napoleon's days, and the much-dreaded experiment of a divorce between Church and State has so far from leading to a religious war, led to nothing at all except to the conviction that the Church, to preserve her entity, must be up and doing. That same wholesome spirit of activity has been infused into the nation by a very real fear of war.

The keen conditions of the morning changed to rain on New Year's afternoon Day, and the closing hours of the afternoon wore a sombre and forbidding aspect. Nevertheless, the streets were filled with people "endimanche," who had parcelled out the day to cover as large a round of visits as possible. Papa first sallied forth alone to make his peace with the great man who presides over his administration, and, later, he was joined by Mamma and the daughters who, arrayed in their Sunday best and armed with their most ingratiating smile, descended upon those relatives whom duty and self-interest rendered it necessary to placate. It is the appearance of these comfortable middle-class folk in the streets that gives New year's Day its particular stamp, at once ceremonious and intimate. The prevalence of wooden stalls everywhere lends the town the air of a huge fair. They exist upon the grand Boulevards, in the business heart of Paris, to the great annoyance, be it said, of the man in a hurry, or even of the Parisian with a mind to 'flaner' in his own way they are spread upon the outer avenues of the city and in the Latin Quarter—ground consecrated by a long tradition to every fete, civil and religious, in the calendar. In the damp grey atmosphere of this afternoon, the stalls charged with flowers from the Sunny South give just the note of colour and picturesqueness that is wanting to the street.

Those magnificent establishments, the flower-shops of Paris—temples of taste and delicate art—are never seen to better purpose than to-day. The floral wealth of the Riviera, as well, of course, as the choicest product of the conservatories, are poured into their windows. There are glorious trees of azaleas, masses of delicate lilac, and bushes glowing with roses. In another window, probably, you will find a "set-piece" in autumn foliage. It is the art with which everything is arranged that principally strikes the beholder. No other nation dare blend art with nature as the Parisian does, placing a cunning bow of chiffon upon a white-flowered shrub with such taste and skill that it looks as if a wreath of fairy snow had fallen in the night ; and this pink ribbon neighbours with a perfect assurance the pink petals of a hothouse bloom. The year was ushered in with scenes of revelry on a private and a public scale. The "Quarter," again, was foremost in such celebrations. Between the stones of the Boul' Mich' grows the plant of eternal youth. Under the wind-swept stars of this early morning the welkin rang with student songs and student cries, alternating with the musical yodel with which one party claimed recognition from another. Most characteristic was the Russian ball given in aid of the victims of the Revolutionary movement. What the assembly lacked in distinction is made up in animation and youthful enthusiasm. Every inhabitant of Bohemia is at heart a sympathiser with the struggle to be free, and the great popular upheaval in the vast dominions of the Tsar finds no deeper sympathisers than the somewhat turbulent young persons who dwell in the "Pays Latin."

New Year's Day is beggars' day. It is the one date in the calendar when the ordinary laws against mendicity are a dead letter. The stranger would gather the impression that one half the population lived by begging from the other half. Every bridge is held by a company of the disconsolate, who demand alms of the passer-by. The Parisian gives, but more out of superstition than from love of charity. It is uncomfortable to be banned by the beggar man on the opening day of the New Year. His imprecations may bring ill-luck. One would never suppose that France suffered from a stationary population. Everyone of the forlorn creatures who solicit a "sou" back their application with a reference to their family. The average of offspring is a round half-dozen, which, in the total, should look extremely well in the census table. The mendicant, refreshed with a superabundance of good cheer, is a curious sight, and, this evening, an elderly roysterer of this description was under the impression that every Boulevard tree was a dear and personal friend. Which is a New Year illusion that is not worth the keeping. The "treve des confiseurs" is in progress and politics are banned. Nevertheless, two living signs of the entente may be noted : the visit of Lord Cheylesmore and the Westminster Corporation to the City of Paris, and the New Zealanders kicking in the mud and rain against the All France team and piling point on point.

France's performance against New Zealand was so creditable that it puts to the blush Anglo-Saxon superiority in matters of sport. There is no question that the greatest progress is being made in physical exercises by the present generation. Young France reads less than its forebears and it besports the more. Very respectable are the contests one may see, any day, in tennis and boxing in the clubs of Paris. Even golf, so essentially British in its stolidity, has its Gallic champions who would not be afraid to match themselves with the doughtiest putters on English greens. But there is, of course, a vast belance to be made up by the French before they can hope to meet the Briton on equal terms in field sports. The Frenchman's, powers are more dialectic than athletic. That is why he hopes to lower the colours of Cambridge in the debate that is to take place on February 20 between two English undergraduates and two students from the Sorbonne. The novel challenge issued by the great university by the Cam has been received with joy here. There is a confident expectation that the members of the "A." as the students' society is called, will more than hold their own with the champions of the Union. Every Frenchman is born an orator, and his powers of reasoning logically have always been admitted. Moreover, since both sides will speak their own language it will be a little difficult, will it not to apportion the victory.?

THE GENERAL ELECTION.

RETURNS TO DATE.

UNIONISTS.

Antrim (East)	Mr. McCalmont.
Antrim (South)	Mr. Craig.
Antrim (Mid)	Mr. O'Neill.
Armagh (North)	Col. Saunderson.
Armagh (Mid)	Mr. Lonsdale.
Aston Manor	The Hon. E. Cecil.
Ayr Burghs	Mr. Younger
Belfast (North)	Sir D Dixon.
Belfast (East)	Mr. G. W. Wolff.
Belfast (South)	Mr. Sloan.
Birmingham (North)	Mr. Middlemore.
Birmingham (West)	Mr. J. Chamberlain.
Birmingham (East)	Sir B. Stone.
Birmingham (Mid)	Mr. Parkes.
Birmingham (Edgbaston)	Mr. Lowe.
Birmingham (South)	Lord Macpeth.
Birmingham (Bordesley)	Mr. Collings.
Blackburn	Mr. Honby.
Bosworth	Mr. McLaren.
Bristol (West)	Mr. Gibbs.
Bury St. Edmunds	Mr. Harvey.
Cambridge (University)	Mr. Butcher.
Cambridge (University)	Mr. Rawlinson.
Canterbury	Mr. Heaton.
Clapham	Mr. Thornton.
Croydon	Mr. Arnold Forster.
Darlington	Mr. H. P. Pease.
Derby (West)	The Hon Victor Cavendish.
Devonshire (Tiverton)	Mr. L. Walrond
Devon (Totnes)	Mr. Mildmay.
Dover	Rt. Hon. G. Wyndham.
Down (East)	Mr. Craig.
Down (West)	Mr. Liddel.
Dublin University	Sir E. Carson.
Dublin University	Mr. J. Campbell.
Dulwich	Dr. Rutherford Harris.
Durham	Mr. Hills.
Ealing	Mr. Nield.
Edinburgh (West)	Mr. McIver.
Essex (Epping)	Col. Lockwood.
Essex (Mid)	Sir Carne Rasch.
Fermanagh (N)	Mr. Featherstonhaugh.
Glasgow (Tradestown)	Ma. Corbett (U. F. T.)
Glasgow (Camlachie)	Mr. Cross.
Gravesend	Sir G. Parker.
Great Yarmouth	Mr. Fell.
Grimsby	Sir G. Doughty.
Hammersmith	Sir W. Ball.
Hampthire (Basingstoke)	Mr. Jefferys.
Hampshire (Fareham)	Col. Lee.
Hampstead	Mr. Fletcher.
Hastings	Mr. du Cros.
Hereford (city)	Mr. Arkwright.
Hertfordshire (Hertford)	Mr. A. H. Smith.
Hertfordshire (St. Albans)	Col. Carlile.
Holborn	Mr. Remnant.
Hoxton	Mr. Hay.
Hull (Central)	Sir H.S. King.
Hythe	Sir A. Sassoon.
Kensington (South)	Earl Percy.
Kent (Ashford)	Mr. Hardy.
Kent (Medway)	Col. Warde.
Kent (St. Augustines)	The Rt. Hon. Mr. Askers Douglas.
Kent (Sevenoaks)	Mr. Foster.
Lancashire (Blackpoool)	Mr. Ashley.
Lancashire (Chorley)	Lord Balcarres.
Lancashire (N.-W.)	Mr. Thomson Mitchell.
Lancashire (Ormskirk)	The Hon. A. Stanley
Lancashire (Widnes)	Col. Walker.
Leeds (North)	Mr. Barron.
Lewisham	Major Coates.
Lincolnshire (Horncastle)	Lord De Eresby.
Lincolnshire (Stamford)	Lord Juicey Cecil.
Liverpool (Toxteth East)	Mr. A. Taylor.
Liverpool (Everton)	Mr. Banner.
Liverpool (Toxteth West	Mr. Houston.
Liverpool (West Derby)	Mr. Rutherford.
Liverpool (Kirkdale)	Sir L. McIver.
Liverpool (Walton)	Mr. Smith.
London	Mr. Gibbs.
London	Sir Edward Clarke.
London (University)	Sir P. Magnus.
Londonderry (City)	Marquis of Hamilton.
Maidstone	Lord Castlereagh.
Marylebone (East)	Lord Robert Cecil.
Marylebone (West)	Sir S. Scott.
Middlesex (Uxbridge)	Sir F. Dixon Hartland.
Norwood	Mr. S. G. Bowles (U.F.T.)
Oxford University	Rt. Hon. J. G. Talbot.
Oxford University	Sir W. Anson.
Oxford	Viscount Valentia.
Paddington (South)	Mr. Fardell.
Penrith	Rt. Hon. J. W. Lowther.
Portsmouth	Sir J. Baker.
Portsmouth	Mr. Bramsdon.
Rutlandshire	Mr. Finch
St Andrews	Major A. Gray.
St George's Hanover Sq.	Col. Hon. E. H. Legge.
Sheffield (Central)	Sir H. Vincent.
Sheffield (Ecclesshall)	Mr. Robert.
Sheffield (Hallam)	Mr. Stuart Wortley.
Shrewsbury	Mr. Hill.
Shropshire (Ludlow)	Mr. Hunt.
Shropshire (Newport)	Col. Kenyon-Slaney.
Shropshire (Oswestry)	Mr. Bridgeman.
Staffordshire (Handsworth)	Sir H. M. Thompson.
Staffordshire (S.-W.)	Mr. Bill.
Stepney	Sir Evans Gordon.
Stockton	Mr. Ropner.
Strand	The Hon. W. F. Smith.
Surrey (Kingston)	Mr. G. Cave.
Sussex (Lewes)	Sir H. Fletcher.
Sussex (Rye)	Mr. Courthorpe.
Taunton	Mr. Boyle.
Wakefield	Mr. Brotherton.
Wandsworth	Sir H. Kimber.
Warwickshire (Tamworth)	Sir P. A. Muntz.
Westminster	Mr. Bardett-Coutts.
Wigan	Mr. Powell.
Winchester	Hon. G. Baring.
Windsor	Mr. Mason.
Worcester	Mr. Williamson.
Worcestershire (Bewdley)	Mr. Baldwin.
Worcestershire (King's Norton)	Mr. Austen Chamberlain.
York City	Mr. G. D. Faber.
Yorks (Barkston Ash)	Mr. Lane-Fox.

LIBERALS.

Aberdeen (North)	Mr. Pirrie.
Aberdeen (South)	Mr. Byce.
Aberdeenshire (West)	Mr. Henderson.
Anglesey	Mr. Griffith.
Ashton-under-Lyne	Mr. Scott.
Attercliffe (Sheffield)	Mr. Langley.
Banshire	Mr. Black.
Barnsley	Mr. Walton.
Bath	Mr. Maclean.
Bath	Mr. Gooch.
Bedford	Mr. Barlow.
Bedfordshire (Biggleswade)	Mr. Black.
Berks (Abingdon)	Mr Strauss.
Berks (Newbury)	Mr. Mackerness.
Berwickshire	Mr. Tennant.
Bolton	Mr. Harwood.
Bethnal Green (N.E.)	Mr. Cornwall.
Bethnal Green (S. W.)	Mr. Pickersgill.
Birkenhead	Mr. Vivian.
Boston	Mr. Faber.
Bradford (Central.)	Sir G. Robertson.
Bradford (East)	Mr. Priestley.
Brighton	Mr. Villiers.
Brighton	Mr. Ridsdale.
Brightside (Sheffield)	Mr. Walters.
Bristol (East)	Mr. C. E. Hobhouse.
Bristol (North)	Mr. Birrell.
Bristol (South)	Mr. Howell Davies.
Brixton	Mr. Seaverns.
Bucks (Buckingham)	Mr. Verney.
Burnley	Mr. Maddison.
Bury	Mr. Macnamara.
Camberwell	Mr. G. Toulmin.
Cambridge	Mr. Buckmaster.
Cardiff	The Hon. Ivor Guest.
Cardiganshire	M. Davies.
Carlisle	Mr. F. W. Chance.
Carmarthen	Mr. Williams.

Carmarthenshire (East)	Mr. Thomas.
Carmarthenshire (West)	Mr. Lloyd Morgan.
Carnarvonshire (South)	Mr. Bryn Roberts.
Carnarvonshirire	The Rt. Hon. D. Lloyd-George.
Chelsea	Mr. Horniman.
Cheltenham	Mr. Sears.
Chester	Mr. Allen.
Cheshire (Addisbury)	Mr. Stanley.
Cheshire (Knutsford)	Mr. King.
Cheshire (Macclesfield)	Mr. Brocklehurst.
Christchurch	Mr. Mond.
Clackmannan	Mr. E. Wason.
Colchester	Sir W. D. Pearson.
Cornwall (Bodmin)	Mr. Robartes.
Cornwall (Lancaster)	Mr. C Macks.
Coventry	Mr, Mason.
Cumberland (Eskdale)	The Hon. G. Howard.
Derby	Sir T. Roe.
Derby	Mr. Bell.
Derbyshire (Mid)	Mr. Jacoby.
Derbyshire North East)	Mr. Bolton.
Derbyshire (South)	Mr. Raphael.
Devonport	Mr. Benn.
Devonshire (S. Molton)	Mr. G. Lambert.
Denbighshire (East)	Mr. Moss.
Denbighshire (West)	Mr. Roberts.
Devon (Torquay)	Mr. Barrett.
Dewsbury	Mr. Runciman.
Dotset (North)	Mr. Wils.
Dorset (South)	Mr. Scarsbrick
Dudley	Mr. Hooper.
Dumfries Burghs	Mr. Gulland.
Dumfriesshire	Mr. Molteno.
Dundee	Mr. Robertson.
Durham (Mid)	Mr. J. Wilson.
Durham (Jarrow)	Sir C M. Palmer.
Durham (N. W.)	Mr. Jonas.
Edinburgh (E)	Mr. McCrae
Edinburgh Central	Mr. Price.
Edinburgh (South)	Sir. T. Dewar.
Elgin and Nairn	Mr. Williamson.
Essex (Harwick)	Mr. Lever.
Essex (Maldon)	Mr. Bethell.
Essex (Romford)	Mr. Bethel.
Essex (Saffron Walden)	Mr. Pease
Essex (South East)	Mr. Whitehead.
Exeter	Mr. Kekewick.
Finsbury (East)	Mr. Baker.
Fulham	Mr. Idris.
Flint (District)	The Rt Hon J Sinclair.
Forfarshire	Mr. Davis.
Glamorganshire (Mid)	Mr. S. T. Evans.
Glamorganshire (East)	Sir A. Thomas.
Glamorganshire (Rhondda)	Mr. Abraham.
Glasgow (Bridgetown)	Mr. Cleland.
Glasgow (Central)	Mr. Torrenco.
Glasgow (College)	Mr. Watt.
Glasgow (St. Rollox)	Mr. McKinnon Wood.
Gloucester	Mr. Rea.
Gloucester (Cirencester)	Mr. R. W. Eisex.
Gloucester (Forest of Dean)	Sir C. Dilke.
Gloucester (Stroud)	Mr. Allen.
Grantham	Mr. Priestley.
Greenock	Mr. Stewart.
Greenwich	Mr. Jackson.
Hackney (Central)	Mr. Davis.
Hackney (North)	Mr. Spicer.
Halifax	Mr. Whiteley.
Hampshire(New Forest)	Sir R. Hobart.
Hartlepools (The)	Sir C. Furness.
Hawick	Mr. Shaw.
Hereford (Leominster)	Mr. Lamb.
Herefordshire (Ross)	Col Gardner.
Huddersfield	Mr. Woodhouse.
Hull (East)	Mr. Ferens.
Hull (West)	Mr. Wilson.
Huntingdonshire (Huntingdon)	Mr. Whitebread.
Huntingdonshire (Ramsey)	Mr. Boulton.
Innverness	Mr. J. H. Bryce.
Ipswich	Mr. F. Goddard.
Ipswich	Mr. F. T. Cobbold.
Islington (East)	Mr. Radford.
Islington (North)	Mr. Waterlow.
Islington (South)	Mr. Wiles.
Islington (West)	Mr Lough.
Illingworth	Mr. Shipley.
Kennington	Mr. Collins.
Kensington (North)	Mr. Stanger.
Kent (Faversham)	Mr. Napier.
Kent (Tunbridge)	Mr. Hedges.
Kidderminster	Mr. Barnard.
Kircardineshire	Mr. Crombic.
Kings Lynn	Mr. Ballairs.
Kircudbright	Mr. McMicking.
Kirkaldy	Mr. Dalziel.
Lambeth (North)	Mr. Meyer.
Lancashire (Mid)	Mr. Caldwell.
Lancashire(Accrington)	Sir J. F. Luse.
Lancashire (Haywood)	Mr. Holden.
Lancashire (Stratford)	Mr. Nuttall.
Lancashire (Lancaster)	Mr. Helme.
Lancashire (Ligh)	Mr. Brunner.
Lancashire (Middleton)	Mr. Adkins.
Lancashire (Prestwick)	Mr. Cawley.
Lancashire (Rossendale)	The Rt Hon C. Harcourt
Lancashire (West Houghton)	Mr. Wilson.
Leeds (North)	Mr. Barron.
Leeds (South)	Mr. Walton.
Leeds (Central)	Mr. Armitage.
Leicester	Mr Broadhurst.
Leicestershire (Loughborough)	Mr. Levy.
Leicestershire (Melton Mowbray)	Mr. H. de Walker.
Leith	Mr. R. M. Fergusson.
Lincoln	Mr. Roberts
Lincolnshire (Sleaford)	Mr. Lupton.
Lincolnshire (Spalding)	Mr. Mansfield.
Liverpol (Abercrombie)	Mr. Sealby.
Liverpool (Exchange)	Mr. Cherry.
Manchester (South)	Mr. Haworth.
Manchester (N.W.)	Mr. Winston Churchill
Manchester (North)	Mr. C. E. Schwann.
Manchester (East)	Mr. Horridge.
Manafield(Notts)	Mr. Markham.
Merionethshire	Mr. Williams.
Middlesex (Brentford)	Dr. Rutherford.
Middlesex (Enfield)	Mr. Branch.
Middlesex (Harrow)	Mr. Gibb.
Monmouth	Mr. Haslam.
Monmouthshire (Abergavenny)	Mr. McKenna.
Montgomeryshire	Mr. Davies.
Montgomery (District)	Mr. Rees.
Morpeth	Mr Burt.
Newcastle	Mr. Cairns.
Newcastle under Lyne	Mr. Wedgewood.
Newington (West)	Capt. Norton.
Norfolk (West)	Mr. Winfrey.
Norfolk (N.-W.)	Mr. White.
Norfolk (Diss)	Mr. Soames.
Norfolk (North Walsham)	Mr. Price.
Normanton	Mr. Hall.
Northampton	Mr, Shipman
Northampton	Mr. Paul
Northampton (East)	Mr. Channing.
Nottingham (West)	Mr. J. H. Yoxall.
Nottingham (East)	Sir H. Cotton.
Nottingham(Basselaw)	Mr. F. Newnes.
Nottinghamshire(Rushcliff)	Mr. Ellis.
Northumberland (Hexham)	Mr. Beaumont.
Norwich	Mr. Filett.
Oldham	Mr. Emmott.
Oldham	Mr. Bright.
Oxfordshire (Banbury)	The Hon. E. Fiennes.
Oxfordshire (Henley)	Mr. Morrell.
Oxfordshire (Woodstock)	Mr. Bennet.
Paddington (North)	Mr Money.
Paisley	Mr. Macullum.
Peckham	Mr. Clarke.
Peebles	The Master of Elibank.
Pembroke (District)	Mr. Phillips.
Pembrokeshire	Mr. Phillips.
Perth	Mr. Wallace.
Perthshire (West)	Mr. Erskine.
Peterborough	Mr. Greenwood.
Penryn	Mr. Barker.
Plymouth	Mr. Dobson.
Plymouth	Mr. Mallett.
Pontefract	Mr. Nussey.
Poplar	Mr. Buxton.
Portsmouth	Sir J. Baker.
Portsmouth	Mr. Bramsden.
Preston	Mr. Cooke.
Reading	Mr. Rufus Isaacs, K.C.
Renfrew (West)	Col. Sir T. Coats.
Rochester	Mr. Lamb.
Rochdale	Mr. Harvey.
Rotherham	Sir W. Holland
Roxburgshire	Sir J. Jardine,
St Pancras (North)	Mr. Dickinson.
St. Pancras (South)	Mr. Wilson.
St. Pancras (East)	Mr. Lea
St Pancras (West)	Mr. Collins.
Salford (West)	Mr. Agnew.
Salford (South)	Mr. Belloc.
Salisbury	Mr. Tennant.
Scarborough	Mr. Rea.
Somerset (South)	Mr. Strachey.
Somerset (North)	Mr. Hope.
Somerset (Bridgwater)	Mr. Montgomery.
Somerset (Frome)	Mr. E. Barlow.
Southampton	Colonel Phillips
Southampton	Mr. Ward.
South Shields	Mr. Robson.
Staleybridge	Mr. Cheetham.
Stafford	Mr. T. Shaw.
Staffordshire (West)	Mr. McLaren
Staffordshire (Lichfield)	Mr. Warner.
Stirling Burghs	Sir H. Campbell-Bannerman.
Storkport	Mr. Duckworth.
Suffolk (Eye)	Mr. Everett.
Suffolk (Stowmarket)	Mr. Hardy.
Suffolk (Sudbury)	Mr. Stevenson.
Suffolk (Woodbridge)	Mr. Armstrong.
Sunderland	Mr. Stuart.
Surrey (Chertsey)	Mr. Marnham.
Surrey (Guildford)	Mr. Cowan.
Surrey (Reigate)	Mr, H. E. Brodic
Sussex (Easbourne)	Mr, Beaumont.
Swansea	Sir G. Newnes
Swansea (District)	Mr. B. Jones.
Bermondsey	Mr. Cooper.
Bow	Mr. Brooke,
Limehouse	Mr. Pearce.
Mile End	Mr. Straus.
Rotherhithe	Mr. Carrgomon.
St. George's in the East	Mr. Benn.
Southwark (West)	Mr. Causton.
Tynemouth	Mr. Craig.
Tyrone (West)	Mr. Dodd.
Walworth	Mr. O'Donnell.
Walsall	Mr. Dunne.
Warrington	Mr. A. H. Crorfield.
Warwick	Mr. Berridge.
Warwickshire (Rugby)	Mr. Grant.
Warwickshire (Stratford on Ivon)	Capt. Smith.
Wednesbury	Mr. Hyde.
West Bromwich	Mr. Hazel.
West Ham North	Mr. Masterman.
Westmoreland	Mr. Smith.
Whitechapel	Mr. Samuel.
Whitehaven	Mr. Burnyeat.
Wiltshire (Chippenham)	Sir J. Dixon Poyndor.
Wiltshire (Devizes)	Mr. Rogers.
Wolverhampton (South)	Mr. Norman.
Wolverhampton (East)	Sir H. Fowler.
Yorkshire (Colne)	Sir J. Kitson.
Yorkshire (Holmfirth)	Mr. Wilson.
Yorkshire (Shipley)	Mr. Illingworth.
Yorkshire (Normanton)	Mr. Hall.
Yorkshire (Pudsey)	Mr. Whiteley.
Yorksb(re (Sowerby)	Mr. Higham.
Yorkshire (Spen Valley)	Mr. Whittaker.
Yorkshire (Elland)	Mr. Trevelyan.
Yorkshire W. Riding, (South)	Mr. Hatton.
York	Mr. Greenwood.

NATIONALISTS.

Acmagh (South)	Mr. J. Campbell.
Belfast (West)	Mr. Delvin.
Cavan (East)	Mr. Young.
Cavan (West)	Mr. McGovern.
Clare (East)	Mr. Redmond
Clare (West)	Major Jameson
Cork	Mr. O'Brien.
Cork (North)	Mr. J. Flynn
Cork (N.-E.)	Mr. Abraham.
Cork E	Mr. Roche.
Cork (S. E.)	Mr. Crean.
Cork (Mid)	Mr. Sheehan
Cork (South)	Mr. O'Dogherty.
Donegal (North)	Mr. McVeagh.
Donegal (East)	
Donegal (West)	Mr. Field.
Dublin	Mr. Nanetti.
Dublin	Mr. Harrington
Dublin (Harbour)	
Dublin (St. Stephens Green)	Mr. Waldron.
Fermanagh	Mr. Jordan.
Galway	Mr. Devlin
Galway (South)	Mr. Duff.
Kerry	Mr. JO'Donnell.
Kerry (West)	Mr. Flavin
Kildare (North)	Mr. J. O'Connor.
Kilkenny City	Mr. P. O'Brien.
Kilkenny (North)	Mr. Delvin.
Kilkenny (South)	
King's County (Birr)	Mr. Reddy.
King's County (Tullamore)	Mr. Burke.
Leitrim (North)	Mr. M'Hugh.
Leitrim (South)	Mr. Tully.
Limerick City	Mr. M. Joyce.
Limerick (West)	Mr. O'Shaughnessy.
Limerick (East)	Mr. Lunden
Liverpool (Scotland)	Mr. T. P. O'Connor
Longford (North)	Mr. Fanell.
Louth (North)	Mr. Healy.
Louth (South)	Mr. Nolan.
Mayo (East)	M. John Dillion.
Mayo (West)	Mr. Ambrose.
Mayo (South)	
Meath (North)	Mr. Whyte.
Meath (South)	Mr. Sheehy.
Meath (West)	Mr. Ambrose.
Monaghan (North)	Dr. Thompson.
Monaghan (South)	Mr. Daly.
Ossary	
Queen's County	Mr. Heyden.
Roscommon	Mr. J. O'Kelly.
Roscommon (North)	Mr. McKillop.
Sligo (North)	
Tipperary (Mid)	Mr. Cullinan
Tipperary (South)	Mr. J. Redmond.
Tipperary (East)	Mr. Murraghan.
Tyrone (Mid)	Mr. J, E. Redmond.
Waterford	Mr. Power.
Waterford (East)	Sir F. G. Esmonde
Wexford	Mr. Ffranch,
Wexford (South)	Mr. Cogan
Wicklow (East)	Mr. O'Connor
Wicklow (West)	

LABOUR.

Bolton	Mr. Gill.
Barrow	Mr. Duncan.
Battersea	Mr. J. Burns.
Belfast (North)	Mr. Walker,
Blackburn	Mr. Snowdon.
Bradford (West)	Mr. Jowett.
Chatham	Mr. Jenkins.
Denbigh (District)	Mr. Edwards.
Daptford	Mr. Bowerman.
Derby	Mr. Bell.
Dundee	Mr. Wilkie.
Finsbury (Central)	Mr. Steadman.
Gateshead	Mr. Johnson.
Glasgow (Blackfriars)	Mr. Barnes
Haggerston	Mr. Cremer.
Halifax	Mr. Parker.
Kent (Dartford)	Mr. Edwards.
Hanley	Mr. Rowlands.
Lancashire (Gorton)	Mr. Hodge.
Lancashire (Ince)	Mr. Walsh.
Lancashire (Newton)	Mr. Seddon.
Leeds (East)	Mr. O'Grady.
Leicester	Mr. Macdonald.
Manchester (S.W.)	Mr. Kelly.
Manchester (N.E.)	Mr. Clynes.
Merthyr Tydvil	Mr. Keir Hardie.
Middlesborough	Mr. Wilson.
Middlesex (Tottenham)	Mr. Alden.
Monmouth (West)	Mr. T. Richards.
Newcastle	Mr. Hudson.
Northamton (North)	Mr. Nicholls.
Northumberland (Wansbeck)	Mr. Fenwick.
Norwich	Mr. Richardson.
Nottingham (South)	Mr. Roberts.
Preston	Mr. Macpherson.
St. Helens	Mr. Glover.
Stockport	Mr. Wardle.
Sunderland	Mr. Summerbell.
Warwickshire (Nuneaton)	Mr. Johnson.
West Ham (South)	Mr. Thorne.
Wolverhampton (West).	Mr. Richards.
Woolwich	Mr. Crooks.

TOTALS.

Liberals	294
Unionists	123
Labour	36
Nationalists	79

GAINS.

Liberals	153
Unionists	10
Labour	30
Nationalists	2

According to the results telegraphed there have been Liberal gains in the following constituencies. Ashton-under-Lyne, Bradford (Central), Bradford (East), Burnley, Ipswich, Kiddermaster, Manchester E., N.E., N.W., S., S.W., Plymouth, Rochdale, Salford West and Walworth. On Monday there were Liberal gains in Brightside, Cambridge, Chatham, King's Lynn, Leeds Central, Lincoln, Peterborough, Preston, Rochester, St. Pancras W., N. S Shipley and Warrington. There is a Unionist gain at St. Andrews.

There have been Liberal gains at Cheshire (Knutsford), Derbyshire (South), Essex (Romford) Middlesex (Harrow) Suffolk (Stowmarket), Surrey (Reigate), and Wilts (Chippenham). The result in the Wansbeck division of Northumberland is the election of a Labour member in place of a Liberal whilst Essex (Romford) is a Labour gain over the Unionists.

There are further Liberal gains at Essex (N. E. and S. E.) Hampshire (New Forest) Herefordshire (Ross) and Oxfordshire (Henley).

There is a Liberal gain at Lancashire (Heywood) whilst Labour are above gains at Middlesex (Tottenham and Lancashire (Newton.)

Further Liberal gains are reported in Bath (2) and Bethnal Green (3, W.) Brighton, Bristol (North) Brixton, Edinburgh (S) Fulham, Cheltenham, Coventry, Dudley, Greenwich, Islington N. S. E, Kennington, Lambeth (North), Newcastle-under-lyne Norwich, Oldham, St. Pancras (East), Southampton (2) and West Ham, North. There are Labour gains in Deptford, Dundee, Finsbury (Central) Leicester, Norwich, Wednesbury Stockport West Ham (South) and Wolverhampton (West). The first Unionist gain was reported from Hastings. Later news being Liberal gains at Bethnal Green, (S, E.) Birkenhead, Liverpool (3) (Abercromby, Exchange and Walton) Warwick and West Bromwich. There have also been Labour gains at Barrow, Blackburn, Middlesborough and Staffordshire (Hanley).

Liberal gains are freported from Bow and Bromley, Christchurch, Greenock, Hackney, South Hackney, Kensington (N), Nottinghamshire East, Paddington North, Perth, Salisbury Tower Hamlets (Limehouse, Nile End, Rotherhithe and St. Georges in the East), Tynemouth and Whitehaven.

There is a Unionist gain at Maidstone and a Labour gain at Gateshead.

Further returns up to midnight on Thursday show that there were Liberal gains at Berks (Abingdon), Dorset (S), Glasgow (Bridgetown, Central and St. Rollox), Hull (E), Huntingdonshire (Ramsey) Lancashire (Stretford and Middleton), Lincolnshire (Sleaford), Middlesex (Brentford and Sleaford), Oxfordshire (Banbury) Staffs (W). Suffolk (Woodbridge), Surrey (Guildford) Sussex (Eastbourne), Sunderland, Warwickshire (Stratford on Avon), Westmoreland, add Wilts (Devizes). There is a Unionist gain at St. Albans, and Labour gains at Belfast (N), Glasgow (Blackfriars) Sunderland and Warwickshire (Nuneaton).

The Liberals on Friday gained seats at Chesire (Eddisbury and Macclesfield) Essex (Maldon) Gloucester (Cirencester) Herefordshire (Leominster) Kent (Tunbridge) Kircudbright, Montgomery (District) Norfolk (South-West) Pembroke (District) Perthshire (West) Suffolk (Sadbury) and Surrey (Chertsey). There was a Unionist gain at the University of London and two Labour gains are recorded at Northamptonshire (North) and Lancashire (Ince).

Further Liberal gains have been reported from Anglesey, Bedfordshire (Biggleswade), Beaks (Newbury), Bucks (Buckingham), Cumberland (Eskdale), Dumfrieshire, Glasgow (College), Huntingdon (South), Kent (Faversham), Leicester (Melton Mowbray), Middlesex (Enfield), Nottingham (Bessetlaw), Oxon (Woods Park) Peebless. Renfrew (West) Roxburghshire, Somerset (Bridgwater and North). The Unionists have gained seats at Ayr Burghs, Devon (Totnes), Shropshire (Oswentry), Sussex (Rye), and Yorkshire (Barkston Ash), There have been Labour gains at Kent (Dartford) and Not tinghamshire (Banetlaw).

The Unionists have gained a seat at Rye.

A cable correction gives Sir D. Dixon, Unionist, elected for North Belfast and not Walker (Liberal.)

MEMS ABOUT MEMBERS.

Mr. Barlow (Frome, Somersetshire) L, retains this agricultural constituency for the Radicals. Mr. Barlow is a barrister and senior partner in the firm of Thos. Barlow and Brother, East India Merchants. He rarely speaks in the House.

Mr. R. J. Price, (East Norfolk) L, goes back to the House for his old division. He is a barrister and doctor. His old opponent in East Norfolk was Mr. Rider Haggard, and the contest became memorable owing to the broken heads which resulted from it.

Mr. Morrell's victory in the Henley Division of Oxfordshire (L) was not at all surprising, as Sir R. T. Hermon Hodge (C) obtained a majority of only 172 in 1900. Mr. Morrell's relative Mr. G. H. Morrell has represented the Woodstock Division of Oxford for some years. The latter gentleman is a sound Conservative, however. "Morrells Entire" is a famous sign throughout Berks and Oxon.

Sir Robert Hobart, (New Forest, Hampshire) L., enters the House for a constituency which has so far been unflinchingly Conservative. In 1900, the Radicals allowed Mr. Scott-Montagu to return unopposed. He has just become second Lord Montagu of Beaulieu, so he could not continue to represent the New Forest, although, had he been able, he might have kept the seat for his party.

Mr. T. C. Agar Robartes (Bodmin, Cornwall) L., has captured a hitherto strongly Conservative constituency.

Mr. Whitehead, (S. E. Essex) L., has won a considerable victory. The constituency has always been Conservative, with large majorities and has been since 1900, represented by Col. Tufnell, who had a majority in 1900, of 1354. Col. Tufnell has now retired from the political arena.

Mr. Cave (Kingston, Surrey) L., has obtained the Membership for a Tory stronghold, where a Liberal has had no chance for many years.

Mr. R. McKenna, (North Monmouthshire) R., retains the seat which he won six years ago with a majority of 1,399. Mr. McKenna is a barrister who once rowed bow in the Cambridge eight.

Sir Henry Meysey-Thompson (Handsworth, Staffordshire) L. U., has managed to retain a seat which he will be forced spontaneously to vacate, for he was one of the new Resignation peers and will henceforth sit in the House of Lords.

Mr. Rowland Hunt (Ludlow, Shropshire) C., has managed to keep this seat for the Tory party. It sent Mr. Jaspar More to Parliament from 1885 to 1895, his last majority being 3,819.

Sir Henry Aubrey-Fletcher, Bart., (Lewes Sussex) C., is a large landowner in Sussex and a very popular country gentleman. His seat is well-nigh impregnable. He was returned unopposed in 1895; in 1892 he totalled a comfortable three thousand odd over his Radical rival.

The Hon. Robert O'Neill (Mid-Antrim) C., returns to a seat in the House which he has not had to fight for twenty years. He is a brother of the second Lord O'Neill.

Colonel Alan Gardner (Ross, Herefordshire) L., captures a seat which has been soundly Tory for many years.

Mr. Leyland Barrett (Torquay Devonshire) L. retains this seat for the Radicals. It was Tory before 1900, however.

Mr. Bolton (Eckington Derbyshire) L., keeps a seat in which the Radicals have ruled the roost for many years.

Mr. Lover (Harwich, Essex) L., captures a seat from the Conservatives. In 1895 Mr. J. Round, the then member had a majority of 1,881, and in 1900 he was unopposed. He was formerly a great cricketer.

Mr. J. W. Phillips, (Pembrokeshire), R goes back to the House. He was unopposed in 1900. He is heir to a Baronetcy and married a lady, a Miss Gerstenberg, who had money of her own.

The Hon Arthur Stanley (Ormskirk, Lancashir) W., goes back to the House in the Tory interest. He is the third son of the Earl of Derby. Ormskirk has always been loyally Conservative.

Mr. Alden, (Tottenham, Middlesex) L., has secured for the Radicals a hitherto Tory stronghold, which returned Mr. Joseph Howard in 1900 with a majority or 2712.

Mr. Holden (Heywood, Lancashire) R, probably had no difficulty in winning Heywood for his party, as Captain Kemp, the Liberal Unionist member, elected in 1900 only had a majority of 226.

Mr. Ell's (Rushcliffe, Nottinghamshire) retains the seat he has had in the House for twenty years. Mr. Ellis is universally revered for his truly semi-official solemnity and earnestness. He is a Quaker, and has never tasted alcohol. And he once wrote a letter to a Mrs. Solly in South Africa, demanding a "stream of facts" "about the wickedness" of officers in South Africa "for Parliamentary purposes." It will take years of severe respectability to live down that request for a stream of facts for Parliamentary uses against Mr. Ellis's own countrymen.

Mr. Caldwell, (Mid Lanarkshire) (R) retains the seat he won in 1895 by a narrow majority of 71. He is chiefly remarkable for the silent pangs he experiences in making up his political mind.

Mr M. Levy (Loughborough, Leicestershire) R has this time probably improved upon his last majority of 67. Mr. Levy is a Jew, and a retired partner of Sir Israel Hart, the shoe firm at Leicester.

KILLED WITH AN IRON BAR.

SENTENCE OF DEATH CONFIRMED.

At High Court, Appellate Side, the Hon Mr. Justice Aston have disposed of an appeal in a case against Ningappa bin Barappa, who was convicted by Mr. M. B. Tyabjee, Sessions Judge of Bijapur, in November last, of murder and was sentenced to death.

The accused, aged 24 years was committed to the Sessions Court, on a charge of culpable homicide, not amounting to murder committed at Salgundi in the district of Bijapur on the 1st October last. On the Public Prosecutor's application, a charge of murder was added in the Sessions Court. There was no doubt, said the Sessions Judge, that the deceased Hanmappa died in consequence of a violent blow given on the head by the accused with an iron bar weighing 7 1-4 lbs. The accused admitted having inflicted the injury, and the medical evidence left no doubt that the blow was a fatal one. Death was probably instantaneous. From the character of the weapon used and of the injury caused with it, the Sessions Judge held that the accused, intended to cause death, or at least to inflict such injury as he knew was likely to cause death. The question, therefore, was whether there was such provocation, as the accused there was as reduced the crime to culpable homicide not amounting to murder. The accused was living with his aunts, both widows, named Gangawa and Nilawa. The latter had been carrying on an intrigue with the deceased, who had left a wife and children and used generally to sleep in Gangawa's house. The accused was in the habit of sleeping outside the house. On the morning of the 1st October, accused came to the house early in the morning, went into the kitchen, took an iron bar, and inflicted the fatal blow on the deceased, who was sleeping near a cattle shed attached to the house. He also attacked his aunt Nilawa with the bar. The Sessions Judge believed that the accused saw the deceased sleeping at the house, and that this enraged him, as he had only on the previous night spoken to her on the connection between his aunt Nilawa and the deceased. There was thus some provocation, but in the opinion of the Sessions Judge it was not of such a kind as to reduce the offence. Further, the crime was not committed without a certain deliberation, for he took the weapon up purposely with the object of punishing the deceased. The accused was convicted and sentenced to death.

Their lordships saw no reason to interfere and dismissed the appeal.

ARRANGEMENTS have been made for the meeting of the New Convocation of Canterbury on February 20, this being the first day it can legally meet after the assembly of the new Parliament. There will be a great religious function at St. Paul's on the occasion, the feature of which will be a sermon in Latin.

Energy, Ambition, Cheerfulness, Strength, a Splendid Appetite, and Perfect Health

may be secured by all who follow the example of the young lady who gives this testimonial:

"Every spring, for years, I used to have intolerable headaches and total loss of energy, so that the season which should be welcomed by me was a dread; for, as the warm, pleasant days arrived, they brought to me lassitude and pain. A friend advised me to take

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

I commenced using it and have not had since then the first symptom of headache. My appetite is splendid, and I perform my duties with a cheerfulness and energy that surprise myself. I take pleasure in telling all my friends of the merit of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and the happy results of its use."

There are many imitation Sarsaparillas.

Be sure you get "AYER'S."

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass., U. S. A.

AYER'S PILLS, the best family laxative.

The first essential for the preservation of the teeth is to keep them clean.

CALVERT'S *Carbolic* **Tooth Powder**

makes the use of your toothbrush so much more complete and satisfactory, because it perfects the cleansing, and also supplies the necessary antiseptic properties.

It is thoroughly pleasant to use, too, and leaves a clean refreshing taste in the mouth.

F. C. CALVERT & Co., Manchester, Eng.

Calvert's Prickly-heat Soap is delightful for bath and toilet use, and being antiseptic, alleviates the annoyance of prickly-heat or other skin irritation.

SAML. BOOTH & Co.;

CHEAPSIDE WORKS,

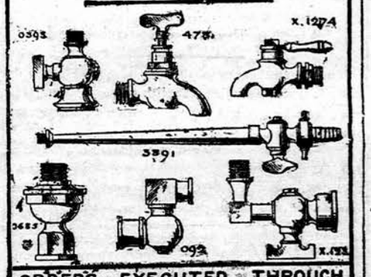
BIRMINGHAM, ENGLAND.

MAKERS OF ALL KINDS OF

GAS & WATER FITTINGS.

CATALOGUES SENT ON APPLICATION.

ENQUIRIES SOLICITED.



ORDERS EXECUTED THROUGH MERCHANTS ONLY

MARTIN'S APIOL & STEEL PILLS for Ladies.

A French Remedy for all Irregularities.

Thousands of Ladies always keep a box of Martin's Pills in the house, as their use at the first sign of any Irregularity of the System a timely dose may be administered. Those who use them recommend them, hence their enormous sale. At all Chemists and Stores, or post free 8/- from MARTIN, Pharm. Chemist, ROYSTON, ENGLAND.

A BOON TO SUFFERING HUMANITY

SURGERY SUPERSEDED! NO OPERATION

SURGERY CAN ONLY GIVE TEMPORARY RELIEF TO THE FOLLOWING DISEASES, :—

THEY CAN BE RADICALLY CURED BY THE UNFAILING MEDICINES DESCRIBED BELOW :—

HYDROCELE, Hernia, Elephantiasis, and all rectum and scrotum diseases are cured by an infallible, harmless remedy of 85 vegetable drugs and 105 vegetable oils. Patients are requested to see me before undergoing operation, for a permanent cure. Pills and Oil for 30 days, Rs. 13-8.

ALL NASAL COMPLAINTS—watery, blood or pus discharges, scales or flesh globules in the nose obstructing breathing, are perfectly cured by an effective smelling powder. For 15 days, Rs. 4-8.

BLEEDING AND BLIND PILES,—Fistula, Fissure of the Anus, and all inflamatory complaints of the rectum causing much irritation, and pain are thoroughly cured by my Ointment and Pills for 15 days, Rs. 5-8.

CALCULUS, difficulty of urine and KIDNEY COMPLAINTS are cured without surgery. For 15 days Rs. 6-8.

EPILEPSY, HEMICRANIA, habitual Headache, Dropsy, after effects mercury and other mineral poisons, cutaneous eruption. For 15 days, Rs. 5-8.

FATTY OR WINDY BODY, the undue increase of the belly and abdomen, the waist, loin, etc., can be easily cured, with a reduction of 3 to 5 inches after 20 days' application of my oil. Also rheumatism, gout, paralysis are cured by my oil and pills. The effect of cure is experienced after 15 days' treatment, Oil for 15 days, Rs. 5-8.

LEPROSY—black and white bad BLOOD, satisfactorily cured by my pills and Ointment, For 30 days, Rs. 6-8.

SYPHILIS, GONORRHŒA and all sorts of VENEREAL DISEASES are radically cured. Pills and Ointment for 15 days, Rs. 4-8.

ELEPHANTIASIS and similar inflammation of legs and hands causing pain, and irritation cured thoroughly by the Oil and Pills. For 20 days, Rs. 5-8.

ASTHMA, COUGH, CONSUMPTION, Hooping Cough, Throat Irritation, Blood Phlegm, Lung diseases, Bronchitis are cured by a month's treatment. For 15 days, Rs. 5-12.

IMPOTENCY, SPERMATORRHŒA, LOSS OF NERVE POWER SEMINAL DISCHARGE, are permanently cured. GREAT RETENTIVE POWER and perfect MANHOOD restored. Pills or oil (as the case may be), For 15 days, Rs. 6-8.

MENSTRUAL TROUBLE, Amenorrhœa, Dysmenorrhœa, Leucorrhœa, Sterility, Prolapsus Uteri, Threatened Miscarriage, Tumour and other obstinate Uterine Diseases are speedily permanently cured. Pills for 15 days, Rs. 6-8.

DIABETES—Insipidus and Mellitus are thoroughly cured by harmless vegetable pills. For 20 days Rs 6-8.

ALL BILIOUS COMPLAINTS, DYSPEPSIA, heartburn sour, bitter, sweet taste, headache, and loss of appetite are easily cured. Pills for 20 days, Rs. 4-8.

OPHTHALMIA—Obstinate eye diseases, redness, watery or pus discharges, soreness, CATARACT, burning, pain, short sight, night blindness, relieved by harmless applications which neither burn nor produce any inconvenience to patients. Medicine for 15 days, Rs. 5-8.

CHOLERA, DIARRHŒA, DYSENTERY, sudden and periodical COLIC PAINS cured by unfailing remedies surpassing all others. For 15 days, Rs. 4-8.

MOUTH DISEASES, TOOTH-ACHE and gum swellings with maddening pains, are all very successfully treated. Medicine for 15 days, Rs. 5-8.

TYPHOID Fever, BRAIN, REMITTENT, MALARIAL and INTERMITTENT Fevers and AGUE can be positively cured long before its duration by only one phial of pills. Price Rs. 4-8 per phial, for 15 days' medicine.

All my medicines, ointments, pills, powders and oils are prepared out of vegetable drugs only.

Besides the above I have medicines for numerous other chronic diseases not named above always in stock.

Up-country orders are promptly sent by V.P.P. Please state clearly age and term of disease.

DR. BALKRISHNA N. JOSHI, of Benares,

Tardeo Bridge, near Tram Terminus.

Motiwalla's Chawl, Ground Floor, TARDEO, Bombay

FOR COUGHS & COLDS USE

"LINSEED COMPOUND" TRADE MARK OR MAY'S COMPOUND ESSENCE OF LINSEED ANISEED ETC. 35 YEARS PROVEN EFFICACY

"LINSEED COMPOUND" is a reliable old English home remedy. It softens hard phlegm, permitting it to be expectorated without strain, soothing the membranes and allaying the irritation so commonly experienced. There is nothing to equal it. Of all Chemists throughout the Empire. Strongly recommended by Medical Men.

TRADE BIG MARK

CURES MEN & WOMEN

BIG G is a non-poisonous remedy for any unnatural discharge and inflammation, irritation or ulceration of mucous membranes. Painless. Guaranteed not to stricture. Prevents contagion.

SOLD BY CHEMISTS.

Circular mailed on request.

MANUFACTURED BY The Evans Chemical Co. CINCINNATI, O. U. S. A.

PILES.

Why continue to suffer from this troublesome and painful complaint, when a cure is within your reach? The most chronic cases will be cured by Nature's Own Remedy: Electricity.

Mr. Glover says:—

GAMOPIDE, KURUMAN, S. AFR,
February 29th, 1904.

DR. SANDEN,

SIR,—Sometime ago I bought one of your Belts. Well, as regards my piles, it has made a perfect cure, after trying almost (every) and any remedy known. I had been troubled with piles over twenty years.

Yours truly,
(Sd.) JAS. A. GLOVER.

Letters like this speak for themselves. My Herculex cures without pain or inconvenience while you sleep. Investigate my system of treatment. I make no charge for consultation. Should you not be able to call, write at once for my works on Electrical treatment. They are free.

CALL OR ADDRESS

Dr. A. T. SANDEN,

MOHAMED BUILDINGS, HORNBY ROAD, BOMBAY

OFFICE HOURS—9 A.M. to 6 P.M.

THE HORSES OF THE EMPIRE.

(Concluded from page 4.)

But here the foreigners come in, and have effected all the mischief. They have requisitioned our breeds in the past, and manufactured sorts that do as well, but with not the same amount of goodness, and they are cheaper for the dealers' business. An opening out is wanted here, therefore, and why not encourage a trade to supply the cities of the world with grand-looking high-stepping carriage-horses? Will not Johannesburg and Tokio want them in another ten years?

The hunters of England and Ireland will always be notable features as long as foxhounds divert the attention of the nation for five months of the year. They are possibly the most important of all classes, as the general utility and cavalry horse is an offshoot from them. There were, perhaps, never more high-class hunters in the country than at present. Baily's Directory informs us that there are 372 packs of hounds ridden to in England, Ireland, Scotland, and Wales. This must bring a great many thousand horses into daily use, and the magnificence of the studs at Melton, or with the Meynell, the Atherstone, the Warwickshire, or the Brocklesby, must point to the fact that quality is as great as ever. Hunt servants, as a rule, are five times better mounted now than they were five-and-twenty years ago, and the authorities of hunts are far more lavish in the use of hunters than they were a few years back. Comparatively small two-day-a-week packs have their two horses a day out for the master, two for the huntsman, and two for the first whip. In the great hunts such second horses are always the rule, and the writer has lately heard of a third for the huntsman. Then the fields are splendidly mounted for the most part; but with all this display of equine power there are drawbacks, as the foreigners keep the sharpest look-out for what may be called the hunter refuse. The mares that are not quite suitable for the purpose are shipped away in hundreds, and become cavalry remounts or breeding stock for other countries. This may account for the most astounding change in figures within the past few years. In 1900 the imports were 51,787 and the exports 30,038; in 1903 the imports dropped to 27,206, and the exports were 30,708; and in 1905 the imports were only 12,839 (against 17,711 the previous year), and the exports rose to 42,560, and in money values a difference of £ 239,473 was presented. These are significant figures and show that, although more money is being brought into the country through horses, the drain on our national breeds is not a satisfactory feature, as it can be easily understood that the Empire gains nothing in quality by all that is imported; the carriage horses, the Hanoverians, the Belgians, and the Russian ponies are not a quarter as good as own. The lower-class hunting mares even are the very life blood of our horse-stock for defence in time of war, and for general use. Let us not forget that 20,000 horses were not available for the Boer War, and disaster was fairly invited by the necessary purchase of the scum of Hungary and the misfits of the Argentine Republic.

MURDER OF A MISTRESS.

SENTENCE OF LIFE TRANSPORTATION.

The Hon. Mr. Justice Russell and the Hon. Mr. Justice Aston, sitting at the High Court, have disposed of a appeal in a case against Saba wa ad Segaji, who was convicted in November last by Mr. C. Fawcett, Sessions Judge of Ahmednagar, of murder and was sentenced to transportation for life.

The accused, aged 35 years was charged with having on the 23rd September last committed murder by causing the death of a woman named Jiji about 30 years of age. The deceased was a Dhangar widow, who lived in her house at Ozarbudruk with her son aged 9, and a daughter aged 5 or 6. Early on the morning of the 24th September her corpse was discovered lying close by the cart road, on the other side of a prickly pear hedge, but there were blood-stains on the road, which pointed to the crime having been committed there, and the body having been afterwards removed to where it was found. There were three wounds on the head, face, and the frontal bone of the skull had been fractured. The accused had made a full confession before the committing Magistrate, in which he stated that he had kept Jiji as his mistress, and that, on the day previous to her death, she had come to his house and asked him for Rs. 2 or 3, which he promissed to give her in two or three days. The next evening she again came and asked him for money but he refused, saying he had already given her a lot. They came together to the prickly pear where the corpse was found lying, and he there killed her with an axe which he had with him. In addition to this confession evidence was called to show that he gave up to the police from where he had buried them, certain ornaments belonging to the deceased and he also produced an axe out of a rubbish heap near his residence in which it was concealed. Upon the confession and the corroborative evidence in the case the accused was convicted of murder and sentenced to transportation for life.

Their lordships, on a review of all the circumstances of the case, dismissed the appeal.

BURGLARY IN BROAD DAY LIGHT.

PRAISE FOR A POLICE OFFICER.

On the afternoon of the 9th instant, during an enquiry in a certain case in the C. Division, Market Section, Inspector Sullivan had one Baboo Luxman arrested for disposing of some silver ornaments. Being questioned how he came by the ornaments, he named two men Jhiloo and one Sitaram who were traced at Agripada. They took the police to the house of Mr. E. B. Pereira, who identified the silver ornaments as his own. They were valued at about Rs. 235. Some more ornaments were subsequently recovered from Sitaram, which were found to have belonged to four other complainants, whose homes were broken into. The property stolen was collectively valued at Rs. 352. The accused were assisted in the commission of the offence by one Ganpat and Baloo Laxmon. Sitaram was found to be implicated in all the five cases while Jhiloo in the first case only. They were both charged under sections 454 and 380 of the I.P. Code, while Baboo and Ganpat stood charged under section 411 and 414 I. P. C. Jhiloo was sentenced by the Fourth Presidency Magistrate to eighteen months' rigorous imprisonment, out of which two months are to be devoted to solitary confinement, and to receive twenty-five stripes and to report his residence to the police for three years after his release from gaol. Sitaram was sentenced in three of the cases by the Fourth Presidency Magistrate, to an aggregate of four years' rigorous imprisonment, out of which four months are to the devoted to solitary confinement, and to receive 25 stripes. In the remaining two cases against Sitaram, he was given two years' rigorous imprisonment by the Second Presidency Magistrate including 3 months' solitary confinement, and to receive 18 stripes. As the sentences in the case of Sitaram were consecutive, he got in all six years rigorous imprisonment, with 7 months' solitary confinement and 43 stripes. Baboo was sentenced by the Third Presidency Magistrate to six weeks' rigorous imprisonment, while Ganpat received four months' hard labour.

The Magistrate remarked, in disposing of the cases all of which were due to the vigilance of Inspector Sullivan that the accused whose offences were committed in broad day light were traced and arrested by the Police Inspector as the result of enquiries made by him in another case. He (Inspector Sullivan) and Ahmedalli, Imamalli, Jamadar No C deserved great credit for the arrest of the accused, and the recovery of the stolen property.

YACHT CLUB RACES.

The following Races will be sailed to-morrow the 27th January.

A class Yachts Handicap Race.—Start at 3-45 p. m., Course No. 13 followed by No. 1.

"B" Class Yachts Handicap Race.—Start at 4-50 p. m. Course 13.

Tomtit Class and Small Boot Handicap Race—Start at 3-30 p. m., Course No. 12.

Ship's Boat Race (Service Rig), Course No. 11—Start 3-15 p. m. Time Limit 6-45 p. m.

Entries will be closed at 6 p. m. to-day.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Are you broken in your rest by a sick child suffering with the pain of cutting teeth? Go at once to a chemist and get a bottle of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. It will relieve the poor sufferer immediately. It is harmless and pleasant to taste, it produces natural quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain and the little cherub awakes as bright as a button. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels and is the best known remedy for dysentery and diarrhœa, whether arising from teething or other causes. Mrs Winslow's Soothing Syrup is sold by Medicine dealers everywhere.

THE PRINCESS OF WALES' RECEPTION FUND.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

Sir,—I hope you will kindly extend the hospitality of your columns for giving publicity to another proposal which will be submitted to the meeting of the Bombay Ladies on Saturday next. It is to establish an Oriental Ladies' Gymkhana Club in Bombay for Purdah and non-Purdah ladies of all nationalities with a view to place within their reach the multifarious advantages resulting from informal and free social intercourse and interchange of ideas, mental culture, physical exercise, healthy recreation and innocent diversion, under such safeguards as may be deemed necessary for securing complete privacy.

The proposed Gymkhana Club to have a Library, a Gymnasium, Tennis and Badminton courts, &c., attached to it and to be furnished with a piano and all other accessories and appliances calculated to refine and invigorate the moral, intellectual and physical nature of woman and to provide those amenities of civilised existence, which have hitherto not been available in an adequate measure to our sex in the Orient.

It will be suggested that the balance at the disposal of the Princess of Wales' Reception Committee should form the nucleus of a fund to be raised for carrying through the project. It is expected that Government, who have granted three fine sites for Gymkhanas for the gentlemen of the principal communities in Bombay, may when properly approached, give a helping hand to this scheme also and grant a suitable site on the seaside for our Gymkhana. When the institution expands and thrives, a swimming bath may, if practicable, be attached to it to secure for the members a most healthful and enjable form of physical culture. The assembly room of the Gymkhana will be available for lectures, &c., and we might perhaps be able to lend it occasionally for the meetings of the Ladies' Branch of the National Indian Association, which has no rooms of its own.

Certain other proposals will be submitted to the meeting, each more or less commendable, for the disposal of the unexpended balance, but it is believed that none is so comprehensive and cosmopolitan in its scope and so eminently conducive to the well-being and elevation of our sex as the proposed institution.

As the Reception of Her Royal Highness the Princess of Wales by the ladies of Bombay was a unique function, it is fitting that the surplus of the reception fund should be devoted to the furtherance of an object equally unique and attractive and calculated to benefit directly the contributors to the fund. The institution may be styled the Princess of Wales' Ladies' Gymkhana Club.

Schools, hospitals, nursing establishments, homes and other charitable institutions are established all over the country, and, thanks to the generosity of our philanthropists, are finding ingress support from all quarters. A contribution of Rs. 6,000 to such institutions will sink like a drop in the ocean and will soon lose its identity. But an Oriental Ladies' Gymkhana Club is unheard of on this side of India and deserves every encouragement and support.

It may be mentioned that several influential ladies of all communities have already given their adhesion to the proposal outlined above. If the scheme is accepted by the meeting, a Committee will be formed to work out its details, to raise funds and to secure a site, &c.—Yours,

A. A. B.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

Sir,—Since women are just immerging out to co-operate in promoting useful works, it is but natural that at this junction their male relatives and friends should deem themselves specially called upon to guide their womankind, and accordingly it is not quite surprising that Mr. Harkisondas Narotumdas and Mr. Rustom J. Tallyarkhan should guide their wives to propose that the Rs. 6,000 in hand of the Bombay Ladies' Princess Reception Fund, should be given to build a Nurses' Home at the Gokuldas Tejpal Hospital, but what sums to be got as it should be is that, as the Committee to collect funds for this Nurses' Home is composed of, in addition to these two rich gentlemen themselves, some of the richest men in Bombay, who could most easily afford to build not only one such Home, but scores of them, why then should these gentlemen attempt to pounce upon the Ladies' Fund, and what is more surprising still, they should by their pressing canvassing for votes be thrusting their fingers in a pie that had been baked entirely by the Ladies. Further because the fund is a Ladies' Fund, if a Nurses' Home is to be built it should rightly be built in connection with one of the Hospital for women. Besides Rs. 6,000 is not sufficient, and there is no guarantee of the Municipality or the Government making up the additional fund to build the Home, or to keep it afterwards in repair and insured.

Above all, the pleasant remembrance of the Royal Visit should not be associated with anything depressing nor ordinary. Therefore the Gymnasium for ladies I advocate besides being unique and exhilirating is amended still by a new proposition of Mrs. Abbas Ali Baig and seconded by Begum Mumtaz Jehan and supported by Dr. Miss Hilla F. Benajee, namely to have a Princess Victoria Gymkhana Club, with of course a Gymnasium, a Tennis Court, a library and so forth attached to it, and to appoint a Sub-Committee to settle the details.

That the subscribers may come with the knowledge of this new proposition to the Meeting at Begum Mumtaz Jehan "Hasmat House," Queen's Road, at 5-30 p.m., Standard Time, day-after to-morrow, Friday, I shall feel obliged were, you, Mr. Editor, kindly to give this letter a corner in your paper and oblige Yours, etc.

SERENE M. CURSETJEE,

Jan. 24.

STANDARD TIME.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

Sir,—At last this historic city for the "Gateway" to India has vindicated its illustrious name by very sensibly accepting Standard Time, but not without a very narrow shave for both sides, i. e., Progress and Retrogression were determined to carry the day and it was to the manly stand made by the "Father" of the City Fathers to throw in his lot on the side of progress in the sole interests of the city's welfare. Indeed, it would have been a sad day for the first Municipal city in India if those who represented Retrogression were victorious. Progress and Retrogression must have been well coached before hand to stand firm to the very last moment, but thanks to Sir P. Mehta, the President, and to Dr. Katrak and their followers, that the city has fallen into line with other influential bodies for the change. Yours, etc.,

OBSERVER.

THE IN-COMING MAIL.

The P. and O. Co.'s steamer, Oriental, which is expected here on Saturday brings the following passengers:—

FROM LONDON.

Capper Mr P
Claxton Miss C G
Darby Mr H
Hughes Mr P
Liversidge Mr S E
Mitchell Miss
Price Mr W

Ranch Lt Col
Ranch Mrs Miss 4 Masters and 2 Misses
Rowe Mr G E
Telford Miss B
Thompson Mrs
Yule Lieut G

FROM MARSEILLES.

Andrews Mr J
Claridge Capt P F
Cossins Mr G D
Coriett Mr E P
Grinley Mr A F
Hamilton Miss M
Heiligers Mr K A
Hudd Mrs A S
Jones Miss J M
Lang Mr W E
Mayne Mr R J M
Piggott Mr F

Ralph Capt A C
Rees Mr G C
Romelly Mr A G
Selkirk Mr J L
Simins Miss C B
Smith 2 Misses
Smith J., Lieut C. M.
Tuchitt Mr and Mrs J F
Tucker Mr R
Waller Mr D G
Warlow Lieut Pidow
Ward Mr A G
Wright Mr H

FROM BRINDISI.

Atkinson Mr R P

FROM KARACHI.

Menzies Capt D J
Quinlaw Capt D J

Talbersfield Mr G H

VALUABLE DISCOVERY FOR THE HAIR.—If your hair is turning grey or white or falling of use the Mexican Hair Renewer, for it will positively restore in every case grey or white hair to its original colour without leaving the disagreeable smell of most Restorers. It makes the hair charmingly beautiful as well as promoting the growth of the hair on bald spots where the glands are not decayed. Ask your Chemists for The Mexican Hair Renewer. Sold by Chemists and Perfumers everywhere. Wholesale Depot, 33, Farringdon Road, London, England.

THE MUNICIPAL STANDING COMMITTEE.

The weekly meeting of the members of the Bombay Municipal Standing Committee was held yesterday afternoon (4-9 p. m. Standard Time), Dr. K. E. Dadachanji presiding.

ACCEPTED TENDERS.

Sanction was given to the acceptance of tenders by the Municipal Commissioner, of Messrs. Richardson and Cruddas, which was the lowest of the three received for the supply of three cast-iron penstocks for the catchpit to be constructed on Clerk Road. The cost of the penstocks at the rate quoted by Messrs. Richardson and Cruddas was Rs. 2,235.

The Commissioner wrote to say he did not consider it necessary to invite tenders by public advertisement for two 250 gallon ejectors with tubbing all complete in every way similar to and according to the same specification as that for the ejectors for the Agripada estate required for Malabar Hill sewerage, because Messrs. Hughes and Lancaster, whose tenders for the Agripada ejectors had been recently accepted, had given their quotation for delivery F. I. H, Bombay for £ 1093.

Sanction was given for the acceptance of this tender.

HEAVY PLAGUE EXPENDITURE.

Consideration was given to the following letter from the Commissioner:—"I have the honour to report for the information of the Standing Committee and the Corporation, that the provision of Rs. 2,00,000, made in the Current Year's Budget for Plague Expenditure is approaching exhaustion, the actual booked expenditure up to 10th January 1906 having been Rs. 1,63,248. It seems probable that a further provision of Rs. 50,000 will be required Plague expenditure generally has followed very closely that of the past year, but the following items are peculiar to the year. (1) Cost of Hospital at Colaba and equipment of same, Rs. 24,000; (2) Experiments with Roux Serum, Rs. 6,000; (3) Special measures for destruction of rats, Rs. 9,000; (4) Inoculation Rs. 6,000; (5) Camps, Rs. 11,000 Total Rs. 56,000 Measures for the destruction of rats have for the first time taken a prominent place in the plague measures of the year and at the moment we are destroying not less than 20,000 rats a month, the bodies of all of which are examined in the Parel Laboratory. We have inoculated and are inoculating the whole of our Health Out-door Staff, primarily as an insurance against their annual mortality from plague and secondly as an example to the public generally of the advantages of inoculation. The expenditure on camps has been newly imposed upon us by Government and may be a subject of discussion between the Corporation and Government if the question of the allocation of plague charges be again raised. In the meantime we cannot do without these camps which are of the greatest benefit to the poorer classes of the population and, in the interests of the City, should be provided at a very early date. The cost of erection I estimate at Rs. 11,000."

The question of plague expenditure evoked some discussion; the Hon. Mr. Ibrahim Rahimtoola feared that the Government was trying to shift their share of responsibility upon the Corporation. The expenditure for the provision of camps was formerly furnished by the Government, which was now thrown on the Corporation. He thought it would be better to let the Corporation themselves decide into the matter. In the meanwhile so far as the Standing Committee was concerned, it would be better to resolve to forward the Commissioner's letter to the Corporation for its consideration, with the intimation that subject to the approval of that body. The Standing Committee recommended that the additional grant asked for by the Commissioner may be paid from the surplus cash balance.

Sir Bhalchandra Krishna seconded the Hon. Mr. Ibrahim.

Sir Sassoon J. David, for reasons given, thought it would be better to recommend the Corporation to sanction the grant.

After some discussion Mr. Ibrahim's proposition was declared carried.

BUILDING THE CHAUPATI OVERBRIDGE.

The following letter from the Commissioner was placed before its meeting for its consideration, and was resolved upon to be forwarded to the Corporation for the consideration and order:—"The Engineer in charge of the Bombay district, B. B. and C. I. Railway, has intimated to the Municipal Executive Engineer that arrangements are being made to commence at once the building of the Chowpati Overbridge, and it is therefore necessary to shift the sewers and the water mains in Mathew Road, which will interfere with the foundation of the bridge. The cost of the work is estimated at Rs. 15,116·75 and I request the early orders of the Corporation in the matter. In my opinion the liability to pay to the Municipality the cost of diverting the sewers, water mains, &c., rests with the Authority responsible for the construction of the Bridge. Pending the decision of the Corporation in the matter it appears to me that the work should be done by the Municipality and I request the sanction of the Standing Committee and the Corporation to a grant of Rs. 15,117 from Surplus and other Loan Balances as an advance to meet the cost subject to recovery from such Body as may finally be decided to be liable by the Corporation and Government."

PROMOTION TO THE MUNICIPAL SECRETARY.

The following letter from Mr. M. N. Wadia, Municipal Secretary to the Chairman of the Standing Committee, was put on the table:—"I have the honour to state that I have now served the Corporation and the Standing Committee as the Municipal Secretary for over seven-and-a-half years, and if my services during that period have merited the approval of the Committee, I respectfully beg them to make a recommendation to the Corporation for my promotion under section 77 (2) (d) of the Municipal Act III of 1888, as amended by section 7 of Act V. of 1905.

The Hon. Mr. Ibrahim Rahimtoola proposed, and the Hon. Mr. Vithaldas D. Thakersey seconded, and it was unanimously resolved that the letter be forwarded to the Corporation with the recommendation of the Standing Committee that the Municipal Secretary's pay be increased by Rs. 200 to Rs. 1,200 per month.

FIXING TIME FOR THE MEETING.

By a majority it was fixed that in future the Standing Committee should meet at 4-15 p.m., Standard time, instead of 3-30 p.m. Bombay time as done hitherto.

RESCUED FROM THE GALLOWS.

Yesterday, the Hon. Mr. Justice Russell and the Hon. Mr. Justice Batty, sitting at the High Court disposed of a case in which Mr. C Fawcett, Sessions Judge of Ahmednagar had sentenced to death Hanmanta Bhavani and Libanu Bhivba, on their conviction on the charge of abetment of murder. Mr. D. D. Davar, with the Hon. Mr. Daji A khare, appeared for the accused. Rao Bahadur Vasudev J. Kirtikar, Government Pleader, appeared for the Crown.

The evidence for the prosecution showed that the accused had murdered one Laxmon "alias" Dada Krishnaji, a "Koshti," or weaver on the night of 3rd October last, on the road between Sakagaon and Babulgaon. The parties had a long, standing dispute over some land in Malit-Babulgaon. Twice was the deceased obligized to bring possessory suits in respect of it, and twice was he successful against the accused. It was alleged that the accused resented this success of his and No. 2 asked him to go home with him in his tonga from the court of the head karkun, who had decided the suit. Deceased accepted the invitation and he was so alleged to have been murdered, with the wooden leg of a winnowing stand by No. 1 at the instigation of No. 2.

Mr. Justice Russell gave the judgment of the Court. His lordship said that so far No. 1 was concerned there was absolutely no evidence to connect him with the murder. From the evidence of four of the witnesses, it was impossible No. 2 could have murdered deceased. No. 2 had called on these witnesses, who were near, to send information to the village of Babulgaon, where they were known, that he and deceased were beaten. This was a strong circumstance in favour of No. 2, to which due weight had not been given. Certainly No. 3 had some injuries on his person. No suspicion attached to him; the Police did not arrest him. Their Lordships were of opinion that the inquiry into the case had not been such as it ought to have been as the Police should have tried to trace out to whom the winnowing-stand belonged, and to what village. The subjecting to a minute and detailed cross-examination of persons situated in the grave position of the accused was a misapplication of the powers conferred by Section 342 of the Criminal Procedure Code. The conviction of and sentences on the accused were reversed; they were ordered to be set at liberty.

PASSENGERS PER S. S. NERA.

The following passengers will proceed to Marseilles, &c., by the Messageries Maritimes Co.'s steamer, "Nera" from P.—Dock No. M shed to-day, on Marseilles.—Mr. J. Iwl. Mr. Lipoober Mr. Prevost de Touchimbart, Mr. and Mrs. King, Mr. Bigelx, Mr, D. D. Shormer, Mr. D. H. Verma, Mr. J. C. Chatterjee, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lucking child and two infts. Mr. and Mrs. Brial and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Dauguy, Mr. and Mrs Stefani and 3 children, Mr. Taillard, Mr. Tizeau, Mr. and Mrs Goulard and 4 children, Mr. Eymard, Mr. Servat, Mr. Miram bean, Mr. Jouin, Mr. and Mrs. Baron and child Mrs. Debsiers, Mr. Bouse, Mr. and Mrs. Sausool and child Mrs. M. Picard and Major Talbbo.

HIGH COURT.—January 25.

(Before the Hon. Mr. JUSTICE CHANDAVARKAR)

For Judgment on Motion.

903-05—Chitnis and M—Dayabhai Tapidas vs Chunilal Hurgovandas Alias Chunilal Damoerdas—Smetham B and N

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

Commercial Cause.

223-05—Mulla and M—Rustomji Ardeser Cooper vs Morarji Mohunji Sorabji and J—Part heard

In Land Acquisition Act 1 of 1894 and cause in the matter of Government and J D Gonsalves E F Nicholson for Government.

Long Causes

752-05—Sorabji and J—Morarji Mohunji vs Messrs Kapadia Brothers—Mulla and M—Part heard

1-01—Bhaishunker K and G—Samsoodin Goolamhoosen another vs Abdoolhoosen Kahlamoodin and others—Payne and Co and Little and Co—Part heard

490-05—Sorabji and J—Abdul Latif Haji Mahomed Jitayker vs Abdul Rehmon bin Abdul Kader Jitaker Captain and V

490-01—Edgelow G and W—Haji Mahomed Mehdi Malik Poljar vs Arthur David Sassoon Wadia G and B

250-02—Edgelow G and W—Haji Mahomed Mehdi Malik Tojjas vs Sir E E A Sassoon Baronet and others—Wadia G and B

45-04—Mathavji and K—Lalman alias Laloo Ramprasad and others vs Devsey Devji and others—Ardeshir H D and Co

636-05—Matubhoy J and M—Partapchand Gulabchhand vs Bai Samrath widow Mulji and D—For postponment

432-05—Jehangir and S—Ashidbai widow vs Abdulla Haji Mahomed and others Thakurdas and Co and Captain and V

884-05—Mansukhlal J and H—Bai Gangabai and others vs The Madras United S and W Mills Co Ld—Pestonji R and K—B M and K—M and R

852-05—Mansukhlal J and H—Bai Gungabai widow and others vs The New East India Prices Co Limited and others—Pestonji K and K B M and B and Hiralal S

855-05—Matubhoy J and M—Damji Hirji vs Ruttonbai widow—Captain and V

275-5789-05—Tyabji D and P—Hurzawandas Hathidas vs Baboo Bhawoo and others—Chitnis and M

818 1039-05—Dikshit D and S—John Michael Simon vs Adamji Peerbhoy and others—Bicknell M and R

250 62—Dikshit D and S—Kanji Bhadji vs Devram Keshavji—In person

409-04—Ardeser H D and Co:—Kharsedji Byramji vs Ardeser Jivanjand vs.

752-01—Nadirshaw and T—for pairper Bhanibai widow vs Velji Khoda and vs—K B Metqa

Before the Hon. Mr. Justice BATCHELOR.

for consent decree.

571-03—M R Vakil—Phirozeshaw Dinshaw Mahadam vs Fazzoolbhoy Heptoola—Nanu H and Co

Suits for Hearing and Final disposal.

Long causes

172-01—Bicknell M and R Jaynarayen Hiodumull Dani vs Jijibhoy Jehangir and another Daphtary and F

Reference ford ismissal.

E F Nicholson for Govarnme—In the matter of the Land acquisition Act 1 of 1894 Cause in the matter of Government and Joseph F Simeons

Long cause for dismissal.

305-05—M B Chothia—Hormusjee Dadabhoy Mehta vs Hormusjee Pallonjee Dolimcherji and another—Pestonji R and K

622-05—Payne and Co—Fatmabhai widow vs Mahomed Nensg Khairaj and another—J P Dastur

For Hearing Exception on Commissioner's Report.

89-00—Nanu H and C—Osman Hassan vs Vulli Mahomed Hassan and others.—Crawford B and Co and N H and Co

882-05—Captain and V Vellies Ludha and others vs Shamjee Gordhan a firm Payne and Co. Paye and

442-01—Captain and V—Abdool Rehman Bhaiji and other vs Mahomed Yoonus Hafiz and others Ardeser H D and Co

648-04—Bhaishunker K and G Bai Aimubai widow vs Haji Abdool Rasak Haji Abubuoker and others Payne and Co and B K and G

683-05—Daphtary F and D—Balubhai Navalchand vs New chand Tarachand

235-01—Wadia G and Co—Rowji Bakulchand and Co vs Runchoredas Dharsey—Little and Co

67-74—Tyabji D and Co—Sukhanand Gurmukhrai and others vs Chandrabhan Mohanlal and others—Payne and Co

601-05—Thakurdas and Co—Rahimbhoy Vullee Mahomed vs Vithoba Kavaji Patel and another—Raghavaya and B

890-03—Edgelow G and W—Mathuradas Damoerdas and other vs Vandrawandas Soonderji and other Tyabji D and Co

320-02—Pestonji R and K—Elji Umersej and other vs Bai Motivahu window—Tyabji D and Co

859-04—K J Billimoria—Abdul Hoosian Allibhoy vs Janambai—Chotia and M

(Before the Hon Mr Justice SCOTT)

For Judgment.

640-05—Captain and V—Kashinath Soamji vs Chimnaji Sadashiv and others—J P Pavri and Payne and Co and Maganlal J and G

Suits for hearing and final disposal

Long Causes.

730-03—Payne and Co N C Macleod vs Rahimtoola Dada Pinkuridas and Co par heard

648-65—Little and Co—John Aitchison Bigble and another vs Hemraj Jaitha and another—Madhavji and K—(Commercial Cause)

675-04—Sorabji and J B—L Moniz vs E A deSouza and others—Captain and V

851-05—Unvalla and F—Meherbai ang others vs Cowasji Hormusji Dadigondy and others—Maganlal J and G and Nadirsha and T

333-05—Mulla and M—Dewram Keshawji vs The Municipal Commissioner of Bombay—Crawford B and Co

472-03—Mulla and M—Dewram Keshawji vs The Municipal Commissioner of Bombay—Crawford B and Co

871-05—Payne and Co—Jusa Guja vs Wamon Narayen and another—M B Chothia

144-05—Pestonji R and K—Pallonji Rustomji Choksey vs Hormusji Kiasji Sanjana and others—Wadia G and Co

661-05—M B Chothia—Cooverbai widow vs Pestonji Dadabhoy Bhandara—Mulla and M

831-05—Crawford B and Co—The Municipal Corporation of Bombay and another vs Hirji Ardeshir Dady and another—Ardeshir H D and Co—and Thakurdas and Co

109-05—K & B Mehta—Ahmedbhoy Someji vs Savlaram Ranaji Balkrishna & M

311-05—Mulji and D—Damoerdas Hurjivandas and others vs Narbadabai and others—Mulla and M

15-05—Tyabji D and Co—Bulderdas Nemchandas and others vs Luchminaravan Ramchand—Bicknell M and R

BOMBAY LIGHT HORSE.

SQUADRON ORDERS BY MAJOR T. W. CUFFE, A. D. C. COMMANDING,

Bombay, January 25.

The Range at Santa Cruz will be reserved for Class Firing and practice on Saturday afternoon next the 27th instant. Train leaves Church Gate Station 3-30 per Standard Time.

By Order,
T. W. CUFFE, Major
Commanding B. L. H

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS BY LIEUT-COL. E. FERRIES NICHOLSON, V. D. COMMANDING.

Bombay, January 26.

69 Detail—To-day Thursday the 25th instant—There will be Instructional Drill for all Officers at Head-Quarters at 6 p m

By Order,
G. D. PRICE, Captain,
Adjutant B. V. R

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS, BY LT.-COL. LOUIS B. RUSSELL COMMANDING B. V. A.

Bombay, January 25.

DRILLS

No 1 Coy—10" B M L gun drill in the Town Hall compound to-day Thursday at 3-45 p m

No 2 Coy—10" B M L gun drill at Nesbit Road Head-Quarter to-day at 3-15 p m

PRACTICE.

The Corps will parade at the B V A Club Apollo Bunder on Saturday the 7th instant at 4-30 p m (S T) and proceed to Colaba North Fort to continue the practice from the 10" R M L

The following is the result of the Spoon and Dewar Cup Competition on the 21st instant:—

300 yds	Rds fired	Total
Corpl W C Linlott	8	29*
Gr W J Mason	7	25
Sergt W Ewing	9	27

* Winner of Spoon

500 yds	Rds	Total
Gr W J Mason	7	33*
J Nuttall	7	30
S I H Solley	7	29

* Winner of Spoon

DEWAR CUP COMPELITION

	Score
Gr May	63*
Gr W J Mason	61
Sergt T L Clarke	56
Gr R Walters	53

The next Spoon Competion will take place on the 28th inst at 300 and 600 yds.

G W MURRAY, Sergt
Hon Secy.

B. B. & C. I. RAILWAY.

Approximate return of traffic for week ended 9th Dec. 1905, on 504·35 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic Receipts.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic Receipts.	Other Earnings (Estimated.)	Total Earnings
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Total traffic for the week	1,28,000	2,30,000	4,000	3,72,000
Or per mile of Railway	274	456	8	738
For previous 15 weeks of half-year	27,77,793	38, 3,·35	61,240	67,17,988
Total for 16 weeks.	29,15,793	41,06,988	3,240	70,89,988
Comparison. Total for corresponding week of previous year	1,20,142	2,35,515	1,783	3,57,440
Per mile of Ry. do.	238	467	4	709
Total to corresponding date do.	26,02,901	39,84,570	94 981	67,71,742
Increase for the week				Rs. 14,560
Do to date				1,18,246

THE NEW
LAXATIVE
For Constipation, Flatulence, Sluggish Liver, Heaviness and Headache, &c.
Bishop's Maxils
are quite free from the many defects of the common "liver pills" and ordinary purgatives. Moreover, Bishop's Maxils have several excellent qualities of their own not found in any other remedy. Thus:—
BISHOP'S MAXILS do not cause Nausea or Griping.
BISHOP'S MAXILS are Certain and Effective.
BISHOP'S MAXILS are Mild and Gentle in Action.
BISHOP'S MAXILS are Suited to Both Sexes.
BISHOP'S MAXILS do not contain Dangerous Drugs.
Bishop's Maxils
fulfil all the requirements of a pleasant and effective general laxative, and are especially valuable in
Habitual Constipation.
Fuller description and complete directions as to dose, &c., are enclosed in every package of Bishop's Maxils, which may be had of all Chemists.
Prepared only by
ALFRED BISHOP Ld.
48, Spelman Street, LONDON, ENGLAND.

LIPTON'S
TEAS
PERFECT FLAVOUR, GREAT STRENGTH,
are the
MOST ECONOMICAL in the WORLD
and give
UNIVERSAL SATISFACTION.
Do not be persuaded into buying other Teas,
which are represented as "Just as Good."
NONE are so GOOD as
LIPTON'S TEAS

HORLICK'S
DELICIOUS NUTRITIOUS
MALTED MILK
A DAINTY AND HIGHLY NUTRITIVE FOOD.
Containing all the elements necessary to sustain life. Prepared instantly and requiring no cooking.
It is the ideal food for hot climates, and should always be at hand in places where a proper supply of pure milk is difficult to be obtained.
INSTANTLY PREPARED BY SIMPLY STIRRING IN WATER. UNTOUCHED BY HAND.
OF ALL AGENTS IN INDIA, BURMAH AND CEYLON.
Horlick's Food Co., 34, Farringdon Road, London, England.

JOSEPH EVANS & SONS,
ENGINEERS,
Culwell Works, WOLVERHAMPTON, Eng.
MAKERS OF PUMPS & PUMPING MACHINERY,
FOR
STEAM, HAND, HORSE, BELT & ELECTRIC POWER.
MINING & IRRIGATION PUMPS A SPECIALITY.
Cable: "EVANS," WOLVERHAMPTON.
Codes: OWN & ABC (5th Edition).
WRITE FOR LIST No. 20.

PURELY PERSONAL.

MR. YERKES' the giant financier, is dead. The archmillionaire was, always for me, one of the most interesting personalities of the age, and I often used to study him with strange and absorbed curiosity. Readers of M. A. P. may recall some impressions of him which I gave some years ago, and now that he is dead I see no reason to alter the opinion I then formed. When I first saw Mr. Yerkes enter the hall where I met him, I was at once pleased and surprised I had heard so much of the relentless resolution, audacity, and multiform victories associated with his name that I could scarcely believe this was the dreade man whom so many had tried to beat who had, walked over so many wrecks of competition hatred envy, popular hatred, and condemnation. For there were few men of his time even in America who have had more bitter enemies—have fought more terrific fights. In 1886 he went to Chicago from Philadelphia unknown, and not very rich a few years ago when he left it with millions in his pockets he had practical control of every tramway line in its scores of miles with its millions of passengers in that vast, teeming, marvellous city, and for every day of all the fourteen years he had been engaged in this gigantic work he had been called every name in the vocabulary of abuse—he was fought, assailed, vilified.

A MAN, rather below the middle height, with a heavy snowwhite moustache, a pale complexion, with that slight tendency towards an enlarged girth that comes with middle age, with white hair, with fine dark eyes, and with a soft voice and a subdued manner, such was Mr. Yerkes. The first, indeed, the supreme and most lasting impression he made upon you was serenity. He came, I believe, of Quaker blood, and the face was a Quaker face with that quietism which is and always remains the expression of the man or woman who has begun life among the prolonged silences and the stern self-discipline and self-control of the Society of Friends. The voice soft, low, never raised above a minor key, was in perfect accord with the expression; and the eyes, with their curious immobility and a certain sweetness and just the least touch of mocking humour, completed the picture of one of those silent men that rule the storm and ride the cyclone in the elemental and Titanic wars of American industry.

THE pallor of the complexion, ivory in its intensity, yet indicated health, not fragility, a certain distinction and refinement as of a man who had always exercised severe selfrestraint, and who had never poisoned his system and coloured his cheeks with the flowing wine or the over-bounteous, overladen table. And Mr. Yerkes was indeed a man who had sternly controlled himself. He never took tea or coffee and he never smoked, though he might have been tempted into a couple of glasses of light champagne at dinner.

And yet with all this impression of supreme serenity you could not be with the man for more than half-an-hour without becoming conscious of all the strength there was behind the ivory mask, the soft brown eye, the low voice. He spoke slowly, with something of the characteristic American drawl, and he always seemed more disposed to listen than to talk unless he found that the atmosphere was sympathetic and appreciative, and he could reveal his inner self.

And then you would hear talk worth listening to, would, easy with every word spoken slowly and every word coming out as clear cut and as fitted to the word that had preceded and was to follow as though he were making a mosaic of jewels. Mr. Yerkes was fond of telling the tale of his life, of his conflicts, of his enemies, of his friends, and often leaving these behind he used to sum up his theory of the world and his lessons from life in some anecdote told with brevity without a superfluous word with quiet but expressive gesture, above all with full appreciation of the dramatic points.

Of all the Russian statesmen of to-day (writes a Russian correspondent) Prince Khilkoff, Minister of Communications, appears to be the only one fully able to maintain his position in spite of all the difficulties that the present crisis involves. Nearly all his confreres in office have been compelled to yield up their folios either through incapacity or the exigencies of circumstances, but so far there has been no talk of Prince Khilkoff being forced to resign his position. Of all the ministers he is far and away the most popular with the people, and there is no question as to his perfect integrity and uprightness. He refuses to be either the tool of the autocrats or the shuttlecock of the multitude. He does what he considers right and necessary, and studies no man's opinion in the execution of his duty. During the recent strike much surprise was evinced in this country when it was known that Prince Khilkoff in person had driven an engine from Moscow to St. Petersburg. Had the story of his early life been generally known, no one would have been amazed at the knowledge he evinced in the capacity of engine-driver.

The name of Khilkoff is one of the best-known in St. Petersburg, and, once on a time, the family was regarded as one of the most influential in the Russian capital. But Fate held some severe reverses in store for them, and when the present Prince Khilkoff came of age he found himself practically penniless and friendless. One day, as he was loitering about a little village station in the Interior, he was given a job to do on the railway. The official who superintended the work was quick to perceive that the new employee was remarkably adroit and intelligent, and Khilkoff in the course of time was promoted to be an engine-driver. It has been said that a beggar is no chooser, and the Prince, homeless and out of pocket, was glad to accept even such a humble position and threw himself into the work with ardour In this capacity he was once called upon to drive a train in which the Emperor Alexander III, was travelling. Railways were not then what they are now, and the dexterity with which the driver accomplished his task did not escape the Tsar's attention. In answer to his inquiries he was informed that the man was no less a personage than Prince Khilkoff. The Emperor was delighted, and sent for him on the spot. So, unwashed and unshaven and all begrimed with soot and oil, Khilkoff approached the compartment and shook hands with his Imperial master.

"Surely the Tsar is reported to have said, a man who is capable of driving an engine so well must also be capable of directing the State railway equally well. From that day Khilkoff's career was made. Some aver that the Emperor s.m.t.ny raised him to an exalted position, while others maintain that a kind of dislike sprang up between, but this would seem difficult to understand, for Prince Khilkoff is, as a matter of fact, a man of a genial and demonstrative disposition, is ready on all subjects and doubtless if his real faces were known many would serve to further enhance the brilliancy of a name that has already illuminated the darkness of the present crisis with its genius.

Patti (writes a correspondent) believes that the pleasures of the table are not for the singer. For months she follows the most severe regimen, taking only plainly-cooked meat and toast. On ordinary days, when Patti has to sing in opera at night, she dines off beef and potatoes and baked apples at about 3.30. Beef is said to give force, and apples smoothness, to the voice. After dinner the prima donna fasts until she sings, only taking, between the acts of the opera, homœopathic doses of phosphorus and capsicum, both of which are beneficial to the throat. If very tired a cup of bouillons is prepared for her.

Jean de Reszke, whose throat is not strong, always suffers from the changeable English climate, and complains of the heat of the theatres behind the scenes. He is, therefore, very, onary of his fine tenor notes, He scarcely goes into Society, restricts himself like Patti, to a diet, and pins his faith to bicycling. Nothing, he firmly believes is so beneficial to the vocal chords as a quiet morning spin "piano, piano" in fresh country air when an engagement has to be fulfilled in the evening. Melba is the only singer who is sceptical with regard to nursing the voice "I can eat anything, talk all day, and my voice is never affected," she has said, but then Melbas voice her whole physique, and her nerves are of the strongest.

In temperament Miss Clara Butt resembles Patti; she has the same kind, impulsive manner, merry laugh, and sympathy with all and sundry. But she does not take care of her voice as sedulously as the diva. Madame Albani is another who takes less care of her voice than the diva, and only fears indigestible foods—salmon nuts and such like. She never touches tea which hardens the vocal chords. Between the acts of a concert or opera Albani drinks a glass of claret, she believes implicitly in the virtues of the cold bath.

Mr. Sims Reeves through his whole professional career was sedulous in nursing his voice. Before singing he always sucked a lozenge in which he much believed. It was home made of glycerine lemon juice and gum arabic, Jenny Lind avoided fatigue of all kinds, and whenever she had to sing partook at intervals during the day of a soup prepared of chicken broth cream, and barley, which was supposed to be softening to the voice.

BEAUTY AND HYGIENE.

For health, beauty and luxury, use the "Albion Milk and Sulphur Soap," which Lady Constance Howard writes "is pleasant to use and whitens and softens the Skin." Also Testimonials from Countess Bathurst, Lady White, Viscountess Exmouth, and Dorothy Nevill and many others. Delicately perfumed. Warning—When buying the Albion Milk and Sulphur Soap, see that the name and figure head of "Albion" are on the wrapper. Sold by all Chemists, Grocers, &c.

CLAIM TO A LARGE ESTATE.

At the Bombay High Court, the Hon. Mr. Justice Chandavarkar, delivered his judgment on a motion made in the suit of Dayabhai Tapidas vs. Chuntilal Hargovandas and another, Mr. T. J. Strangman, instructed by Messrs. Chitnis and Motilal, appeared for the plaintiff; Mr. J. D. Inverarity, instructed by Messrs. Smetham, Byrne and Noble, appeared for the defendants. The rule was taken out by the plaintiff for inspection of books and documents, and for the appointment of a receiver of the property of his late half-brother, Mr. Damodardas Tapidas, a Hindu Shettiah and a millionaire, in whose property, which he estimated as about twelve lakhs of rupees, he claimed a reversionary interest. Defendants estimated the property as not worth more than three lakhs. His Lordship, in disposing of the matter, said: So far as the inspection was concerned, the case did not call for interference; the plaintiff should go to the Judge in Chambers, and take the necessary steps. Plaintiff came to claim certain property, movable and immovable, as the reversionary heir of his deceased half-brother, Mr. Damodardas Tapidas. The property was held by the first defendant as the adopted son of the deceased; plaintiff assailed the adoption as null and void. He complained that the property had been suppressed and wasted by the second defendant, who was the natural father of the first. As to the appointment of a receiver, before plaintiff could get one, he must satisfy the Court that there was danger to the estate. No case so far had been made out for a receiver. The question of the plaintiff's title depended on the construction of the will of the deceased, Mr. Damodar. The Court was unable to see at present that the question was free from difficulties and doubt. It was a settled rule that no receiver should be appointed where the plaintiff's title depended on the construction of a deed, which was "prima facie" doubtful (Owen vs. Homen, 3 Mac. and G.) Plaintiff's title being not fairly clear, the only ground on which he could ask for the receiver was danger and waste, but of this there was no sufficient proof. Allegations made by the plaintiff were met by a distinct denial in the defendant's affidavit, that was sufficient to put the plaintiff out of Court, so far as the rule was concerned. The observations of the Allahabad High Court, in I. L. R. 5 Allahabad, 2-7, applied here, the Court must discharge the rule. Plaintiff's solicitors were permitted to initial the books of accounts and papers relating to the estate which were in the possession of the defendants.

THE DANGER OF LIVE WIRES.

So many fatal accidents have happened through handling or touching charged electrical wires, says the "Indian Textile Journal," that a French industrial association invited an international competition for an appliance, which would detect the state of a wire without risk to the experimenter. Eighteen devices were sent in, of which eight were found of sufficient interest to merit consideration. The first price was awarded to Mr. M. Miet and the second to Mr. J. B. Taylor. Two other inventors received honourable mention Mr. Miet's instrument is a strong glass test tube with an India rubbers topper. A copper wire traverses the stopper, having on the outer end a copper ball and at the other two thin strips of aluminium placed close together. The tube is held by the bottom end and the copper ball is put in contact with the electric wire or conductor, and if the latter is charged, the strips of alluminium at once separate. The cost of the instrument is about fivepence Mr. Taylor uses two appliances. For low pressure he uses a glass tube closed at one end and plugged at the other with a rubber stopper. This tube is filled with petrol into which is put some powdered aluminium or bronze. A metal wire passed through the stopper. When used, the tube is held by the closed end, shaken to render it turbid, and then the wire is applied to the conductor, which, if charged, causes the powder at once to subside. Mr. Taylor's high pressure test is a globular bottle shaped something like an incandescent lamp. It is closed with a rubber stopper through which passes a metal wire, on the inner end of which is a bit of aluminium bent like the letter S and hung by the middle. The outer end of the wire carries a ball which, if applied to a conductor, passes current to the S, which is set spinning rapidly and thus indicates danger The steadily growing use of electric current in India should provide a market for the very ingenious and useful devices.

"THAT'S DIFFERENT."

AN ELECTION DIALOGUE.

Scene: Any Street.
Persons: A Wordy Radical and a Bored Unionist.
The Wordy Radical: Since Balfour has declared for Protection—
The Bored Unionist: For what?
W. R.: Protection.
B. U.: But he hasn't.
W. R.: Hasn't? What has he declared for, then?
B. U.: Retaliation.
W. R.: Bosh! Same thing.
B. U.: How?
W. R.: Give 'em an inch, and they'll take a mile. It's the broad road to rank Protection.
B. U.: No. But supposing it is. The electors can always cry "Halt!" can't they?
W. R.: Fiddlesticks! It'll be too late. Only safe way is to give it a wide berth, and not even to touch it with a long pole.
B. U.: You don't see—
W. R.: I know I don't. And I'am not going to. I've no patience to argue it. It's as plain as the nose on your face.
B. U.: Very well. But just half a moment.
W. R.: Yes.
B. U.: Can I ask you one question?
W. R.: Thousands.
B. U.: The new Cabinet and Home Rule?
W. R.: And what?
B. U.: Home Rule.
W. R.: They're not going to touch Home Rule.
B. U. What are they going to touch then?
W. R.: Devolution.
B. U.: Bosh! It's the same thing.
W. R. How?
B. U.: Give them an inch and they'll take a mile. It's the broad road to Separation.
W. R.: Rubbish! They can't go in for Separation without a mandate.
B. U.: Not in one lump. But they can by instalments. The only safe way is not to touch it, not even with a long pole.
W. R.: Never heard such a rotten argument in my life.
B. U: Why, man, it's your own.
W. R.: My own!
B. U.: Yes. Your own argument against Retaliation.
W. R.: Oh! . . . . that's different:—(From the "Mail Pall Gazette,")

THE WEATHER.

(BY TELEGRAPH.)

SIMLA, JAN. 24.

Rain is reported from a number of stations in Lower Bengal and south of the Peninsula, rain and snow from Baluchistan, and light snew from the North-West Himalayas. The chief amounts of rainfall are: Narayanganj and Balasore one inch, Karnool & Sonemarg half an inch. and Quetta, Mercara and Bellary a quarter of an inch. With the disappearance of the low pressure area Bengal winds have become northerly and the weather is clearing. Further snow is likely in Kashmir and some scattered rain in the interior of the peninsula.

OBSERVATIONS TAKEN AT 8 A.M., ON WEDNESDAY, THE 24TH JAN.

SUMMARY.

Pressure.—With the exception of a brisk to rapid rise at Bushire, Allahabad, Jamnagar, Karachi, Belgaum and Mormugao, pressure changes have been small and unimportant.

Winds are variable in direction and the force has been moderate to light.

Temperature.—The maximum is 5° to 6° in excess of normal at Negapatam, Rajkot and Lahore, and the minimum 5° to 10° in Mysore, the Madras Presidency and at Mangalore, Ahmednagar, Jaipur, Jhansi, and Cawnpore. The highest temperature in the shade was 93° at Bellary and the lowest 42° at Sirsa.

Cloud and Humidity.—The sky is cloudy to overcast in the Punjab and the United Provinces, Rajputana, Central India and Mysore and on the Malabar Coast.

Rain.—An inch and a quarter of rain is reported from Colombo and a quarter of an inch at Bellary.

Weather is fine with passing clouds on the West Coast.

N. LESLIE,
Meteorological Reporter for Western India.

FLORILINE.—For the Teeth and Breath.—A few drops of the liquid Floriline sprinkled on a wet toothbrush produces a pleasant lather, which thoroughly cleanses the teeth from all parasites or impurities, hardens the gums, prevents tartar, stops decay, gives to the teeth a peculiar pearly whiteness and a delightful fragrance to the breath. It removes all unpleasant odour arising from decayed teeth or tobacco smoke. The Fragrant Floriline, being composed in parts of Honey and Sweet Herbs, is delicious to the taste, and the greatest toilet discovery of the age. Of all Chemists and Perfumers. Wholesale Depot, 33 Farringdon Road, London, England.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

LONDON, Jan. 23.

SECURITIES—

2 1-2 per cent. Consols	89 12-16	=	— 1-8
3 do. Rentes	99 1-4	=	+ 1-4
3 1-2 do. Indian Sterling Loan	105 3-4	=	unchanged
3 1-2 per cent. Indian Enfaced Rouse Paper	66 1-4	=	+ 1-8
SILVER—			
Spot in London	30 3-16	=	+ 1-16
2 months hence	29 3-8	=	+ 1-16
Spot in New York		=	
EXCHANGES			
Paris cheques	25 14 1-2	=	unchanged
Berlin	20'48	=	— 1-4
New York Demand		=	

DISCOUNTS—

Bank of England	4	per cent	= unchanged
3 months sight Bank Bills	3 3-4	do	= do
6 " " "	3 3-8	do	= do
3 " " Fine Trade Bills	4 1-8	do	= do
6 months sight Fine Trade Bills	4 1-4	do	= do
INTEREST—			
Day to day loans	3 3-4	do	= do
7 day market loans	3 7-8	do	= do

METALS—
Copper Braziers £90
Yellow metal 7 7-8
Tin Plates 8 0-12-1 1-2
Bar Iron Belgian £ 5-15-0
Iron Corrugated Sheets £ 12-7-6
Basic Steel Bars £ 5-7-6
RUBBER—
Para Rubber 5 3 3-4 buyers
WHEAT—
Red Karachi 31 1-4 M-J sellers firm
RAPESEED—
Brown 42 1-2—1-4 A-M sellers steady
LINSEED—Firm
ARRIVALS—
Steamers—Tokio, Indian Monarch, Kincraig, Imperatrix and Trieste.

The Liverpool Wool Auction opened to-day. Number to be offered 28,000.

Sales though largely attended by Home and foreign buyers opened at a decline of half penny. Common qualities and yellow and grey wool were irregular and prices in favor of buyers.

In Liverpool.—Cotton Market closed quiet. East Indian quiet. Manchester steady. Total Sales 8,000. Spot 6·28. Egyptian F. G. F. Brown 8 5-16 Sold on speculation and for Export 500. Imports 15,000. Futures closed steady.

Jan.-Feb. 6·16	Feb.-Mar. 6·16	Mar.-Apl. 6·19
Apl.-May 6·22	May-June 6·21	June-July 6·25 —1
July-Aug. 6·26 —1	Aug.-Sep. 6·19	Sep.-Oct. 5·93 +18

Receipts at U S Ports ... 25,000
Do last year ... 33,000
Exports to Great Britain ... 5,000
Do. do Continent ... nil
IN NEW YORK— }
Spot ... 11·90 —3 } a
Futures, month of March ... 11·33—3a
Do do. July ... 11·53—37

a First one mutilated. Declined later owing to bearish ginners figures.

IN NEW ORLEANS—
Spot ... 11 9-16—3-16
Futures, month of March ... 11·53—42
Do. do. May ... 11·97—43
Tone at close ... steady.

The American Census Bureau gives the amount o cotton ginned up to 16th instant at 9,998,000 Commercial Bales.

Arrivals of Cotton, Wheat and Seeds into Bombay for the 24 hours, ending at 6 p.m. on Tuesday, 23rd Jan. 1906:—

Cotton	28,364 bales.
Wheat	19,570 cwts.
Linseed	8,890 do
Rape, Rai and Mustard	1,847 do
Gingellyseed	25,813 do
Poppyseed	692 do
Groundnut	3,180 do
Castorseed	1,470 do
Rice	14,564 do
Myrabolams	10,070 do
Cottonseed	34,082 do
Mowraseed	570 do
Gram	715 do
Joowar	614 do
Maize	nil

BOMBAY, JAN. 24.

EXCHANGE.—Tone quiet.
Bank T. T. ... 1s. 4 3-32d.
Bank Demand ... 3-32d. to 1-8d.
Credit Bills 3 Months Sight D.A. 11-32d.
Do. 6 do. do. ... 15-32d.
French Francs 3 do. do. ... 171
Marks 3 do do. ... 139 3-4
Hongkong 30 Days Sight ... 145½
Shanghai 30 do. ... 204
Japan 30 do. ... 149 1-2

GOVERNMENT PAPER.—3 1/2 per cent. Tone quieter.

Cash	...	98'8
1st Settlement, 31st January		98'10
2nd do 28th February		98-15

Money Market, Tone firm.
BANK RATE—
Bank of England since 26th Sept. 4 per cent.
Bank of Bombay do. 4th Jan. 3 do.
Bank of Bengal do. 4th ,, 3 do.
Bank of Madras do. 8th ,, 3 do.
SEEDS.—

	Rs.	a.	p.
LINSEED—Tone steady.			
Ready ...	8	5	0
Forward ...	8	5	0
RAPESEED.—Tone steady.			
Brown Cawnpore Ready ...	7	4	0
Do. Forward ...	7	6	0
Do. Forward ...	8	0	0
POPPYSEED—Tone steady.			
Ready ...	9	0	0
Forward ...	9	0	0
CASTORSEED—Tone steady.			
Ready ...	35	8	0
Forward ...	34	8	0
GINGELLYSEED—Tone firm.			
Howree Khandeish ...	48	0	0
15 per cent. Mixed ...	47	8	0

WHEAT—Tone quiet.
White Delhi new ... 5 5 0

LIVERPOOL OPENING TELEGRAM.

Tone ... easier
Estimated sales ... 10,000 Bales
Imports ... 8,000

Jan.-Feb. 6·04 —12	Feb.-Mar. 6·04 —12	Mar.-April 6·07 —12
April-May 6·10 —12	May-June. 6·12 —12	June-July 6·13 —12
July-Aug 6·14 —12	Aug.-Sept. 6·07 —12	Sep.-Oct 5 81 —12

COTTON.—The settlement of the 25th January delivery contracts is causing a steady tone in our market in face of the heavy decline advised from America. Quotations are about Rs. 2 lower and a fairly large business is passing in ready cotton. Forward contracts are neglected. Sutta closing quotations are as follows:—

Bengals Fully Good, January ... Rs. 193
Broach M.-G. Good, March ... ,, 258

Official quotations of the Bombay Cotton Trade Association, Limited:—

	Fine.	F.-G. Good.	Dely.
Bengal, H. G. (Ry. terms)	202	194	... 25th Jan.
Bengals (M.-G.) Ry. terms	211	201	... 25th Jan.
Sind-Punjab (M.-G.)	213	203	... 25th Jan.
Oomrawuttee (descriptions)	M.-G. 224	213	... 25th Jan.
Khandeish, (M.-G.)	220	214	... 25th Jan.
Khundwa (M.-G.)	...	218	... 25th Jan.
Khangaum, fair staple (M.-G.)			
Karanja do. (M.-G.)	224	218	... 25th Jan.
Akola do. (M.-G.)			
Oomra, good staple (M.-G.)	237	231	... 25th Jan.
Dhamangaum Poolgaum (M.-G.)	234	228	... 25th Jan.
Nagpur Kamptee (M.-G.)	340	234	... 25th Jan
Broach (M.-G.)	272	258	25th Mar
Muttia (M.-G.)	220	214	... 25th Jan.
Yeotmal (M.-G.)	239	233	... 25th Jan.
Akola Khamgaon (M.-G.)	225	217	... 25th Jan.
Barse (M.-G.) good staple	204		... 25th Jan.

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS.
LONDON, JAN 23.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed	quiet
Surats	quiet
Good Bhownuggur	.....
The Manchester Market has been	steady
2 1/2 per cent Consols	89 13-16
3 per cent Rentes	991-4
2 per cent Sterling Loan	105 3-4
3 1/2 per cent Rupee Papers	65 1-4
Bar Silver	26 3-16

BOMBAY SIXTH EXRA MEETING.

HANDICAPS.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27

The Eprom Plate.—5 furlongs.
Kilua 10·5, Epitome 8·2, Childs Guide 10·2, M. P. 8·5, Cossack 9·10, Blue Blood 8·3, Primerole 9·9, Gambooda 8·0, Comeback 8·12, Banker 7·12, Resident 8·10, Rossi 7,10, Admiral Crichton 8·9, Hycamoth 7·7, Koko 7·0 Victory 6·12, Overture 6·3.

N.B.—If top weight accepting is under 9st. 10 lbs. it will be raised to that amount, and the others in proportion.

The Dadur Plate.—7 furlongs.
Tachreet 10·0, Panala 8·10, Ponfard 7·6, Mooreed 9·11, Mint 8·9, Napoleon 7·2, Grey Fox 9·3, Kour Saheb 8·3, Cheragh 7·1, Arabistan 9.8, Horsak 8·0, Dayar 6·12, Little Joker 9·0, Karadeo 7·12, Mynusbake 6·11, Jamrood 6·7, Aliyab 6·2.

N.B.—If top weight accepting is under 9st. 11lbs. it will be raised to that amount and the others in proportion.

CECIL GRAY,
Secretary, W. I. T. C.

Bombay, January 24

NOTICE.

The Down Race Special on Saturday 27th Inst. will leave Colaba at 3 instead of 3.10 p.m. Standard time, Church Gate at 3.5 instead of 3.15 p.m. and arrive at Mahalaxmi at 3.15 instead of 3.25 p.m. Standard Time.

INSURANCES.

NORTH BRITISH
AND
MERCANTILE INSURANCE Co.
ESTABLISHED 1809.

CHIEF OFFICES
EDINBURGH, 64, Princes Street.
LONDON, 61, Threadneedle Street.

Total Funds as at 31st December, 1904 ... £ 16,971,548
Revenue for 1904 ... £ 3,570,552

The sum of £ 830,160 was divided among Participating Life Policy-holders in 1900 yielding a BONUS at the Rate of £ 1-8-0 per cent. per annum not only on the original sums assured but also on all subsisting Bonuses.

POLICIES in some cases have been MORE THAN DOUBLED in amount by the addition of BONUSES.

NEW PROSPECTUS JUST OUT.
GREAT REDUCTIONS
under all SYSTEMS,
For Prospectuses and Proposal Forms apply to
Messrs. KING, KING & Co.,
Secretaries,
NORTH BRITISH and MERCANTILE INSURANCE Co.,
King's Buildings, Bombay.

GRESHAM LIFE OFFICE.
ASSETS ... Rs. 13 Crores.
ANNUAL INCOME ... Rs. 2 Crores.
ESTABLISHED—1848,
NOVEL and ATTRACTIVE forms of ASSURANCE APPEALING SPECIALLY to those who desire to combine INVESTMENT WITH FAMILY PROVISION
TABLE—I. T. D. H.
EXAMPLE:—
Rs. 442-8-0 Annual Premium secures to a person aged 25.
(1) In case of Death before age 60—
IMMEDIATE PAYMENT of ... Rs. 10,000
(2) In case of Survival to age 60—
(a) CASH PAYMENT of ... ... Rs. 10,000
(b) LIFT ANNUITY of ... ... Rs. 600.
(c) PARTICIPATION IN 35 YEARS CAPITALISED PROFITS.
Prospective benefits in case of Survival (in above example) equivalent to an investment of Annual Premiums in CONSOLS, whilst the security of Rs. 10,000 Assurance in case of Death during 30 years is obtained in addition.
PROSPECTUS containing full Table of Rates for the above, and other new features, on application to
CROFT, MODY & CO.,
Chief Agents for India, Burma, and Ceylon
BOMBAY.

THE
ORIENTAL
GOVERNMENT SECURITY
LIFE ASSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED.
Established 1874.
FUNDS EXCEED TWO CRORES and 50 LAKHS
actual experience since its Establishment.
Unsurpassed in
ADVANTAGES and LIBERALITY
INVESTED IN GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.
Rates are the lowest with safety, being based upon the Company's TO POLICYHOLDERS.
Safest and Best Organization for Policyholders of any Indian Company.
Claims paid immediately upon receipt of satisfactory proof.
ENDOWMENTS
AND
ANNUITIES
ON
SPECIALLY ATTRACTIVE TERMS.
Full Particulars and Forms may be obtained on application to the Company's Office.
ORIENTAL BUILDINGS, BOMBAY.
R. PATERSON BROWN,
Manager.

B.G.
"APENTA"
NATURAL APERIENT WATER
IS THE BEST ELIMINANT.
GOLD MEDAL,
ST. LOUIS EXHIBITION, 1904.
ORDINARY DOSE.—A Wineglassful before Breakfast.

KEATING'S LOZENGES
EASILY CURE
THE WORST COUGH.
One gives relief. An increasing sale of over 80 years is a certain test of their value. Sold in bottles everywhere.

DEWJEE CANJEE & Co., Chuckla No. 6, First Class Furniture on Sale or Hire Inspection respectfully invited.

STREET LAMP.

GOLD MEDAL
AWARDED AT THE
BOMBAY INDUSTRIAL & AGRICULTURAL EXHIBITION, 1904-05.
THE
WASHINGTON
COMPRESSED KEROSINE OIL INCANDESCENT
LAMPS
Give the most brilliant and the cheapest Light of the day.
STORM AND RAINPROOF ARC LAMPS,
from 500 to 1,500 candle power.
Ordinary Russian Kerosine Oil (Bulk Oil) can be used.
Suitable for Palaces, Clubs, Offices, Halls, Churches, Factories, Workshops, Compounds, Gardens and Streets.
Adopted by Municipalities and Railways, etc., etc.
For particulars apply to
A. MAHLER.
APOLLO STREET, FORT, BOMBAY.
SOLE AGENT FOR
The Washington Compressed Kerosine Oil Incandescent Light,
The Welsbach Patent Incandescent Gas Light
and
The Stella Incandescent Kerosine Oil Burner.

SAINT-RAPHAËL
TONIC, RESTORATIVE, DIGESTIVE WINE
Very palatable.
Known throughout the world and prescribed in all cases of Anæmia, Debility and Convalescence, to young women, children and the aged. Invaluable in hot climates.
DOSE: One wine-glass after the two principal meals.
Each bottle of genuine VIN SAINT-RAPHAËL bears, in addition to the registered trade-mark:
(1) The WARRANTY STAMP of the UNION DES FABRICANTS.
(2) A METAL SEAL advertising CLETEAS.
CLETEAS is a MELISSA and MINT cordial which surpasses all others by its purety and faultless preparation.
To be taken on a lump of sugar.
COMPAGNIE du VIN SAINT-RAPHAEL, Valence (Drôme-France).
SPENCER & Co, Sole Agents for Madras.—PHILLIPS & Co, Agents in Bombay.
DUMOULIN & Co, Agents in Pondichery.

USE ONLY and USE ALWAYS
ATKINSON'S
A LUXURIOUS PERFUME IN HEALTH.
MOST REFRESHING.
Far Superior to the German Kinds.
A NECESSARY RESTORATIVE IN SICKNESS.
EAU DE COLOGNE

MELLIN'S FOOD
For the use of infants FROM BIRTH upwards. All that is necessary in adapting it for children of different ages is to make slight variations in mixing.
MELLIN'S LACTO GLYCOSE
Prepared from Mellin's Food and fresh cow's milk. This Food is for temporary use where fresh cow's milk cannot be obtained, or where for any reason milk falls under suspicion. For use, mix with warm water only. It forms a palatable food beverage for adults.
MELLIN'S FOOD BISCUITS
A solid food, easy of digestion, and recommended for children after weaning, and for those who require a readily digested, concentrated nutrient at any period of life.
Samples and directions for use printed in Native Languages, together with a work on the "Care of Infants in India," can be had on application.
BOMBAY: H. J. Rustomjee & Co. CALCUTTA: Mackenzie Lyall & Co. COCANADA: Hall, Wilson & Co. KURRACHEE: H. J. Rustomjee & Co. MADRAS: Oakes & Co., Ltd. RANGOON: Latham Black & Co.
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN CEYLON: CARGILLS, LTD.

ROWLAND'S MACASSAR OIL
PRESERVES, NOURISHES, ENRICHES THE HAIR.
CURES SCURF, DANDRIFF AND BALDNESS.
SPECIALLY RECOMMENDED FOR LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S HAIR.
GOLDEN COLOUR FOR FAIR OR GREY HAIR.
BOTTLES 3/6, 7/-, 10/6 OF CHEMISTS, STORES AND
ROWLAND'S, 67, HATTON GARDEN, LONDON.

Agents for LEA & PERRIN'S WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE.

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S

BY SPECIAL WARRANT PURVEYORS TO H.M. THE KING.

CELEBRATED OILMAN'S STORES.

&

PEARS

Soapmakers by Royal Warrants

TO THEIR MAJESTIES

THE EMPEROR & EMPRESS OF INDIA.

NEW SEASON'S CHEESES,

HAMS & BACON—FRESH FORTNIGHTLY.

		Rs.	a.
ENGLISH STILTON, REAL PRIZE DAIRY,	about 12 lb. each ... ...per lb.	1	6
" " " "	on cut ... ... " "	1	8
ROQUEFORT,	about 5 lb. each ... ... " "	2	0
"	on cut ... ... " "	2	4
GORGONZOLA	about 14 to 20 lb. each ... ... " "	1	4
"	on cut ... ... " "	1	6
WENSLEDALE	about 14 lbs. each ... ... " "	1	10
"	on cut ... ... " "	1	12
ENGLISH CHESHIRE and GRUYERE		1	0
LOAF CHEDDAR ENGLISH		0	14
AMERICAN CHESHIRE		0	14
DUTCH EDAMS (about 4 lb. each)		0	12
BACON—Harris's Real Wiltshire Middles, 20 to 28 lb. each(in Canvas)	...per lb.	1	2
" " " " Bellies, 12-16 lb. " (" ")	... " "	1	0
☞ **Bacon on cut one anna per lb. extra.** ☜			
HAMS—Real Cumberland Farmers 7 to 28 lb. each (in Canvas)	... " "	1	2
" " Cooked and Dressed Ready for table	... " "	2	0
" " " and Cut in Slices	... " "	2	8

BARNES & Co.'s Jams, Pickles and all Oilmenstores Fortnightly.

PYRKE'S PROVISION STORES.

Proprietor E. W. PYRKE, LATE Manager of W. B. GREEN & Co.

APOLLO BUNDER, BOMBAY.

A Happy, Healthy Child has a natural appetite for sweets. Be sure the Sweets are pure and wholesome. A favourite Sweet of the merry children of Merry England is

Callard & Bowser's Butter-Scotch.

The LANCET says:—"Really Wholesome Confectionery."

Manufactory: LONDON, ENGLAND.

Sold by

Messrs. PHILLIPS & Co., Bombay,
" ARMY and NAVY STORES, Bombay.
" PEARSON & Co., Secunderabad.

Benger's Food

is mixed with fresh new milk when used; is dainty and delicious, highly nutritive, and most easily digested. Infants thrive on it, and delicate or aged persons enjoy it.

Sold in tins by Chemists, etc., everywhere.

The LANCET describes it as—"Mr. Benger's admirable preparation."

ESTABLISHED 1867.
Cable Address: "Woodhouse, Brighouse." A. 1. Code.
WOODHOUSE & MITCHELL, LIMITED,
Brighouse, Yorkshire, England.
STEAM ENGINES & MILL GEARING
For Textile, Flour & other Mills.
Contractors to H.M. War Department.

MINERAL WATERS

TRADE REQUISITES

LARGE STOCK of Codd's patentglass ball Bottles, Soluble Fruit Essences Oils and Colourings from well known English manufacturers. Salphuric Acid and other acids

REFINED

SACCHARIN

and every article connected with aerated water factory; also machinery with their parts can be had at moderate price from

URRIMBHOY JALLALBHOY & Co.,
General Merchants and Commission Agents
No. 104, Bhooasal Mohalla, BOMBAY.

WILKINSON'S

ESSENCE OR FLUID EXTRACT OF RED JAMAICA

Estd. since 1829. SARSAPARILLA

Pronounced by the HIGHEST MEDICAL AUTHORITIES the most

WONDERFUL PURIFIER OF THE HUMAN BLOOD

THE SAFEST AND MOST RELIABLE REMEDY FOR TORPID LIVER, DEBILITY, ERUPTIONS, WEAK AND LANGUID FEELINGS, &c.

Over 60 Years' WORLD-WIDE REPUTATION.

IMPORTANT EVIDENCE.

"We cannot speak too highly of it."—LANCET.
"We recommend your Red Jamaica Sarsaparilla."—MEDICAL REVIEW.
"The only preparation for removing what may be called the sequelæ of a mercurial course."—Sir R. MARTIN.
The Late LORD CLYDE said:—"I am never without it, for, when feeling depressed or out of sorts from anxiety or fatigue, a dose or two animates me."
"It cured me of Torpid Liver after all other remedies failed."—EARL OF ALDBOROUGH.

REFUSE ALL SUBSTITUTES. BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.

N.B. Indispensable to Residents Abroad.

"A Celebrated Physician says:—"I always prescribe it with almost universal success in those complaints which are engendered in Tropical Climates, and no one should be without it."

WILKINSON'S (Established since 1829.)
HAS STOOD THE TEST OF TIME, AND THE VERY HIGHEST AUTHORITIES pronounce it **THE BEST.**

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS AND SUBSTITUTES.

Be sure you get **N.B.** the signature of the Proprietor and Trade Mark, thus W **WILKINSON'S** *Thomas Wilkinson* are upon every GENUINE bottle.

To avoid impositions the Public are respectfully asked to notice &c. (Any imitation is a felony.)

Fortify the System against Disease with **PURE BLOOD.**

AGENTS:—TREACHER & Co., Limited; PHILLIPS & Co., Limited KEMP & Co., &c., &c.

Everyone in Great Britain is talking about

SIR NIGEL,

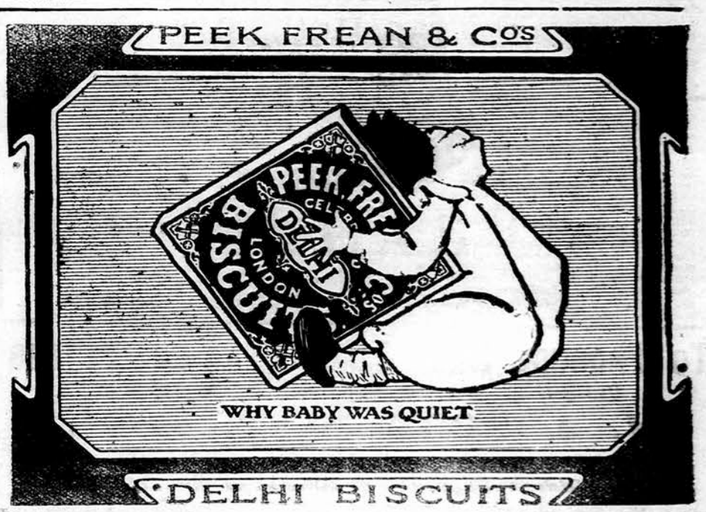
The Latest and Best Story by

A. CONAN DOYLE,

NOW APPEARING IN THE

Strand Magazine.

PEEK FREAN & Co's



WHY BABY WAS QUIET

DELHI BISCUITS

BENGER'S FOOD

For INFANTS and INVALIDS.

Benger's Food with Milk forms a dainty, delicious and most easily digested cream.

"Retained when all other foods are rejected." *London Medical Record.*

Benger's Food is sold in tins by chemists, etc., everywhere.

INDIAN AND COLONIAL SHIPPERS

OF

Fancy Goods, Leather Goods, Stationery, Musical Instruments, China, Enamel and Basket Ware, Toys of every description, Electro-Plate and Cutlery.

JAMES WISBEY & Co.,

77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84 & 129, HOUNDSDITCH,
8, 9 & 10, BISHOPSGATE STREET WITHOUT . . . LONDON, E.C.

THE LARGEST AND CHEAPEST WAREHOUSE IN THE WORLD.
Illustrated Export Catalogue (600 pages) on application.
TRIAL ORDERS OR FIRST INDENTS SHIPPED IMMEDIATELY.

COLEMAN'S WINCARNIS

A delicious beverage and tonic made from choice wines, Liebig's Extract of Meat, and Extract of Malt.

Over 6,000 Testimonials received from the Medical Profession of the United Kingdom.

WINCARNIS has an unrivalled reputation of over twenty years as the finest tonic and restorative in the world.

"An Ideal Pick-me-up.
Suitable for all Climates."

SOLE MANUFACTURERS: COLEMAN & CO., LTD., NORWICH, ENGLAND.

AGENTS:
BOMBAY—N. Powell & Co., Phillips & Co. (Ltd.), V. Nathoo & Co., Edulji Bros., Madon & Co., Thomson & Taylor, Treacher & Co. (Ltd.) and Kemp & Co. CALCUTTA—Smith, Stanistreet and Co., Bathgate & Co. and Kedar Nath Dutt. BANGALORE—J. B. Bowser & Co. DELHI—A. Burakar & Co. LAHORE—E. Plomer & Co. LUCKNOW—Murray & Co. MHOW—Federal Dispensary. MADRAS—R. Maclure, and Smith & Co. COLOMBO—P. T. de Joog & Sons.

Agents:—Messrs ARTHUR [illegible] & Co., 11 Clive Street Calcutta.

TRY IT IN YOUR BATH.

SCRUBB'S CLOUDY FLUID AMMONIA

MARVELLOUS PREPARATION.

Refreshing as a Turkish Bath. Invaluable for all Toilet Purposes.
Splendid Cleansing Preparation for the Hair.
Removes Stains and Grease Spots from Clothing, Etc.
Restores the Colour to Carpets.
Allays the Irritation caused by Mosquito Bites.
Invigorating in Hot Climates. Cleans Plate and Jewellery.

For Sale by all Grocers and Chemists.

SCRUBB & CO., LTD., GUILDFORD ST., LONDON, S.E.

S. & H. HARRIS'

HARNESS PREPARATIONS.

Sold by all Saddlers and Storekeepers.

SADDLE PASTE & SOAP.

BLACK DYE.

JET BLACK OIL.

Manufactory: LONDON, E., ENGLAND.

BOOTE'S TILES

Were first used over fifty years ago, and at the present time are the best obtainable.

Illustrated Catalogue free on Application to

T. & R. BOOTE, Ltd.,
THE PATENT TILE WORKS, BURSLEM, ENGLAND.

MANUFACTURERS OF
ARCHITECTURAL FAIENCE For inside and Outside Decoration.
GLAZED TILES FOR WALLS, HEARTHS, &c.
ENCAUSTIC TILES FOR FLOORS.
CERAMIC MOSAIC A SPECIALITY.

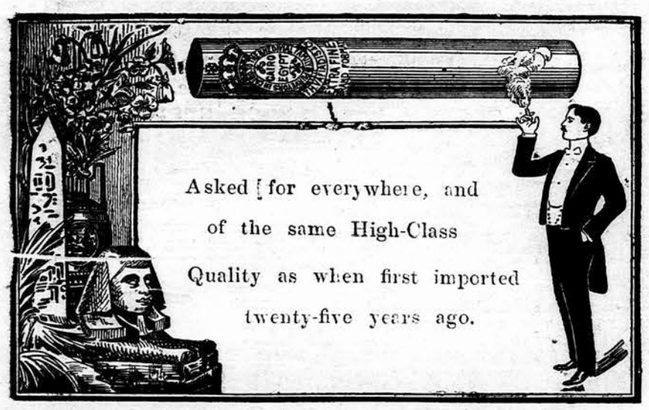
LONDON OFFICE: Birkbeck Bank Chambers, Holborn. W.C.
MANCHESTER OFFICE: 49, Deansgate.

Digitized with financial assistance from the Government of Maharashtra on 18 June, 2017

TH. VAFIADIS & Co.'s

High Class and Genuine

Egyptian Cigarettes



Guaranteed Fresh Consignments by every direct P. and O.'s Mail.

FACTORY, CAIRO (EGYPT).

BRANCHES: CALCUTTA, RANGOON, & LONDON.

Local Depot:—20, Esplanade Road, Bombay.

FOR INDIAN WEAR.

Egerton Burnett's Royal Serges

Look well, and are for Ladies, Gentlemen, and Children, in Navy Blue, Cream, Black, Crimson, Purple, Grey, &c. Various Prices, and in Light Weights.

TROPICAL TWEEDS, DRESS FABRICS, COTTONS, LINENS, SILKS, &c.

TAILORING to Measure. Ladies' Costumes from 26/-; Skirts from 10/-; Blouses from 8/-; Girls' Dresses from 9/-; Men's Suits from 35/-; Boys' Suits from 10/6, &c.

Patterns, with Self-Measurement Forms and Price Lists, Post Free. Any length Sold. Special Rates for Exportation.

Address: EGERTON BURNETT LTD., INDIAN WAREHOUSE, WELLINGTON, SOM., ENGLAND.

BY APPOINTMENT

TO H. E. THE GOVERNOR OF BOMBAY

D. M. DUKLE & Co.

PHOTO DEALERS,

5 Hurnam Street, Fort,

BOMBAY

TO PRODUCE HIGH CLASS AERATED WATERS

Use only Essences, Colours, etc., manufactured by

W. J. BUSH & CO., LTD.,

ASH GROVE, HACKNEY, LONDON.

"The Oldest Essence Distillers in the World."

W. J. BUSH & Co. have had great experience in supplying Regimental Aerated Water Factories in India, Egypt, Malta, South Africa, etc., and are prepared to give full information to Commandants of Regiments who wish to provide Aerated Waters of a really wholesome quality.

W. J. BUSH & Co.'s manufactures are sold by all the best merchants throughout India, Burma and Ceylon.

PRICE LISTS AND SAMPLES ON APPLICATION.

Recipes and full information for the manufacture of Aerated Waters free with first order.

"GRAND PRIX," PARIS, 1900. The highest possible.

JOSEPH GILLOTT'S PENS

Of Highest Quality, and Having Greatest Durability are Therefore CHEAPEST.

MAKES THE SKIN AS SOFT AS VELVET.

BEETHAM'S LAIT "Larola" Regd.

KEEPS THE SKIN COOL AND REFRESHED IN HOT CLIMATES, AND PREVENTS IT BECOMING PARCHED and DRIED UP from Exposure to the Sun.

PREVENTS THE ATTACK OF MOSQUITOES, etc. When frequently used.

IT IS UNEQUALLED AS A DELIGHTFUL SKIN TONIC & EMOLLIENT.

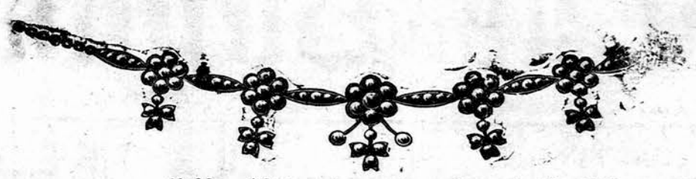
M. BEETHAM & SON, Cheltenham, England.

Bombay Agents:—Messrs. TREACHER & Co., Limited.
Messrs. THOMSON & TAYLOR, Bombay.

JEWELLERY UP TO DATE.

Gold pendant set pearls, Rs. 32.

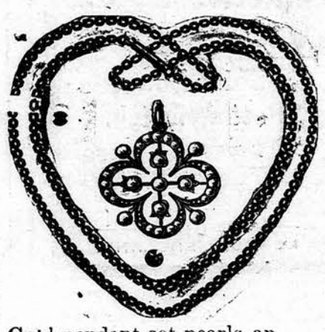
Gold brooch set sapphire and pearls, Rs. 100.



Gold necklet set turquoise and pearls, Rs. 175

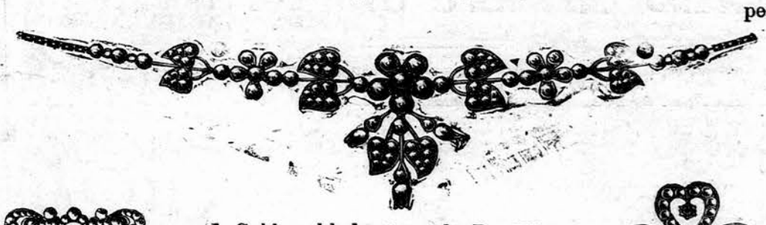
Gold pearl pendant, Rs. 33.

Gold pendant set pearl, Rs. 32.



Gold pendant set pearls an gold chain, Rs. 50.

Gold brooch set peridot and pearls, Rs. 140.



Gold neckled set pearls, Rs. 250.

Gold brooch olivine and pearls, Rs. 112.

Gold pendant and chain set pearls, Rs. 50.

Gold pendant pearls, and chain, Rs. 50.

Gold pendant set turquoise and pearls, Rs. 115.

Gold pendant set pearls, Rs. 75.

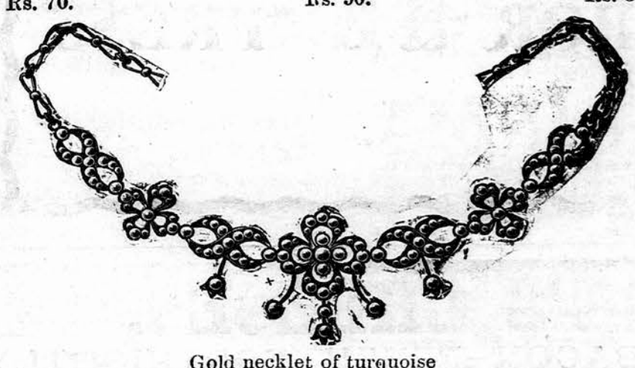
Gold pendant set pearls, Rs. 70.

Gold pendant set pearls, Rs. 38.

Gold pendant set pearls, Rs. 38.

Gold pendant set diamonds and pearls, Rs. 135

Gold pendant set pearls platinum and gold chain, Rs. 55.



Gold necklet of turquoise and pearls, Rs. 275.

Gold pendant set pearls and gold chain, Rs. 50.

MARCKS & Co., Ld.

BOMBAY AND POONA.

PYRKE'S

TELEGRAMS EXCELLENCE BOMBAY

TELEPHONE No. 175.

"APOLLO" RESTAURANT.

The Smartest and most up-to-date IN INDIA.

Breakfasts, Luncheons and Dinners.

GRILLS AT ANY TIME.

from 8 A.M. till 10 P.M.

OYSTERS,—A specialitie.

PRIVATE ROOMS FOR DINNER PARTIES.

ELECTRIC FANS AND LIGHT THROUGHOUT.

Band every Wednesday & Saturday.

APOLLO BUNDER.

ENO'S FRUIT SALT.

INVALUABLE IN ALL FUNCTIONAL DERANGEMENTS OF THE LIVER.

The value of ENO'S 'FRUIT SALT' cannot be told. Its success in Europe, Asia, Africa, America, Australia, and New Zealand proves it. THERE IS NO DOUBT THAT where it has been taken in the earliest stages of a Disease, it has, in innumerable instances, PREVENTED what would otherwise have been A SERIOUS ILLNESS.

CAUTION.—*See Capsule marked* ENO'S 'FRUIT SALT.' *Without it you have a WORTHLESS IMITATION.*

Prepared only by J. C. ENO, Ltd., 'FRUIT SALT' WORKS, LONDON, ENG., by J. C. ENO'S Patent.

Sold by Chemists, &c., everywhere.

GOLD & Co. BIRMINGHAM, ENGLAND.

Patent Wrought IRON & STEEL HINGES ARE THE CHEAPEST AND BEST IN THE MARKET.

None are genuine except with the "Swan" Trade Mark.

Indentors can obtain same through all respectable British Merchants.

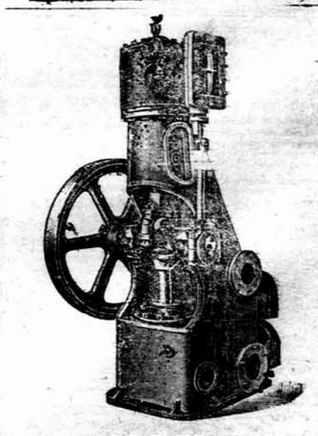
None are Genuine except with the "Swan" Trade Mark.

WILL FORMS OF DIFFERENT KINDS. Price 8 Annas; Can be had at the Bombay Gazette Office.

GRIMAULT'S SYRUP

HYPO-PHOSPHITE OF LIME FOR DISEASES OF THE CHEST

Prescribed in France for the last 30 years for CONSUMPTION, OBSTINATE COUGHS, COLDS, and BRONCHITIS.



The HASTE PUMP Co., Ltd.,

CROWN BUILDINGS,

Old Broad Street, London, E.C.

Telegraphic Address: "Pumperling, London."

Codes: Bedford McNeil's and A B C (5th Edition).

AGENTS REQUIRED WHERE NOT REPRESENTED.

Published by the Proprietor, GRATTAN GEARY, at the Bombay Gazette Offices at No. 121, Meadow Street, Fort, Bombay, and printed at the Steam Press and Publishing Office, Armenian Lane, Rampart Row, Fort.

AGENTS.—GEORGE STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill, London; E. C.; Messrs. D. J. KEYMER & Co., 2, Whitefriars Street, LONDON, E. C.; Messrs. WILLIAM J. RICHARDS & Co., 66, Fenchurch Street, LONDON, E. C.—Paris, Messrs. GALIGNANI & Co., Publishers, Rue de Rivoli;—CALCUTTA; Messrs. THACKER SPINK & Co.